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House shortly after I a.m. In spite of the lateness of the hour of retiring His Royal Highness was up and on the tentis. court at Government House by 7-45 where he played for bout half an hour with his equerry, Lieut.

Shortly after 10 45 the car of His Excellency the Governor drove up to Murray pier and Prince George, attired in a light grey coat, flannel trousers and gray feit hat walked to the pier and geeted Sir Claud Severn, Colonial Secretary, who had been waiting some little time. They chatted for a few moments and the Prince graciously posed for a "China Mail" photographer, shook hands with Sir Claud Severn and boarded the "Victoria" which was alongside. He was accompanied on board by Lieut Halsey and Capt. R. A. R. Neville, A. D C. to His Excellency the Governor: The Victoria" then left for the Malwa arriving, about a quarter of an hour before the boat cast off. The "Victoria" did not remain until the Malwa left and the Prince

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bringing it to a close about 6 20. Amongst those present at the reception were :- The Hon. Colonial Secretary (Sir Claud Severn), Sir Eric and Lady Stuart Taylor, Sir Henry and Lady Pollock, Henry Gollan, the Hon. Mr. Wal. Messer, the Hon. Mr. D. W. and Li Koon-chun.
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Yours, etc., LOTUS.

Hongkong, May 29.

Blind Sport.

To the Editor of the China Mail.)

Sir.—Is it not a fact that Mr. and H. T. Jackman, Mr., and this blind following of athletics He did, not rest even after his Mrs. J. R. Wood, Engineer Capt. and athletes, is blinding many to

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INSURANCE RATES.

REDUCTIONS FORCED BY UNDERCUTTI UNION CO.'S PROSPECTS.

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Home at Government House Bishop of Victoria and Mrs. It is up to the people responsible Sanders, Messrs, Ho Leung, Chau for the year 1924 shows a de-Duppuy, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. for tunning the heach-I believe it Siu-ki, A. H. Mackenzie, Chau crease compared with that of the Sillingham, Mr. Walter Brown, is the P. W. D. in this case—to tell Tsun-nin, R. W. Paulden, E. H. preceding year. This is primari-Minjon C. Willson, Mr. Corveirs de the public why they are debarred Tsun-nin, R. W. Paulden, E. H. preceding year. This is primari-Albuquerque (Consul for Portugal), from landing at the place indicated Summers, D. H. Cameron, J. W. ly due to the fact that consider-Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Immbert, If they do not know the reason, why Alabaster, V. R. V. Ribeiro, M. A. lable re-insurance has been effect-Miss Davis, Lients-Col, and Mrs. then let them ascertain it from the Figueiredo, F. P. Silva, W. F. ed in 'respect' of our American F'. Flayley Bell, Mr. and Mrs. military people with whom they Gardner, F. P. de V. Soares, Lo fire commitments. Walver Ci. Joseph, Miss H. D. are supposed to have some arrange. Cheung-shiu, A. H. M. de Silva, Saver, Mr. A. Quint Prior," Dr. ment. Surely it would not need B. M. C. da Cunha, V. L. dos insurance the premium income for and Mrs. F. P. Minett, Mr. A. many yards of red tape to do this. Remedios, A. C. Bay, M. A. R. the year 1924 has decreased by Having personally had a glimpse Souza, F. R. Smyth, H. Ruttonjee, £213,225 12s. 8d., but in conse-W. H. Newman, Capt. G. E. of that haughty naval picket, 1 for G. S. Archbutt, A. W. Hughes, J. Oxspring, M. Henri du Courthial, one am inclined to question his Ormiston, Ho Kom-tong, J. A. Worswick, Leung Yan-Po, Arnold, U. C. Galluzzi, R. Dastur, Paul Hodgson, A. E. Alves, Ho Ki, J. M. Alves, W.

> The Chairman said:-Gentlemen, - The report accounts were issued on May and you will have had time to scrutinize our figures. I propose therefore to follow the usual procedure and take them as well the auditors' report as read.

Hawker, E. A. Lees.

The working account for year 1923 after allowing for

Turning to the figures in the balance sheet, you will notice that the re-insurance fund, underwrit-

Largely as a result of this revery considerably reduced and we are of opinion that the ultimate result of our underwriting ac-

count for the year 1924 will leave a satisfactory profit. Further adjustments on the American Continent are being effected and we have every reason to anticipate that this portion of our business will give the Society an improved

You will notice that the sterling equivalent of our silver reserve fund shows a slight decrease as compared with last year. This is due to a fall in exchange, the rate this year being 2s. 334d. as against 2s. 3%d. last year. You will realize that exchange contiques to play its part in the sterling, equivalent shown in our REMERKERS balance sheet. For example, at December 31, 1923, the Yen exchange was 2s. 23/ad. and the Gold Dollar Rate 4.33 and on December 31, 1924, they were 1s. 7%d. and 4.73 respectively.

You will notice that our Agency commissions for the year 1924 show a decrease of approximit £90,000 and charges show a satisfactory decline.

The conditions of trade throughout the world during the past year are too well known to 5 you to necessitate lengthy comment from me but you will appreciate the fact that the Society's progress is largely dependent upon general commercial prosperity and until more favourable circumstances prevail we must recognise that a large expansion of our business is not possible. At the end of 1923 there were

indications that rates had reached their lowest point and it was anticipated that an improvement would set in. I am sorry to say that this has not materialized and competition in all branches of insurance was even keener during 1924 than in previous years and this has forced a substantial reduction in rates. Marine insurance, in particular, has been the subject of intense competition, and in common wiht other underwriters of experience, the Society, on occasions, has found it necessary to allow business to pass rather than continue at rates known to be unprofitable.

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I would emphasize that the port of shareholders and your directors confidently appeal to you to give the Society your personal assistance in this direction. (Continued on page 9.)

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Yours, etc., MEDICINE. Hongkong, May 28.

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account for the year 1924 stands efforts of our staff will be mater An important person behind £506,724 16s. 10d. and the Board recommends that an interim dividend of 24s, per share be paid to old and new shareholders and the balance carried forward. This balance is estimated at £820,924.

The Board further recommend

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BEHIND BARS

An important person behind hars at the present time is Chan Brilliant Change who was brought to the Colony this week as a deportee following the completion. of a term of imprisonment in

Pallot, Engineer Lieut.-Comdr. and no time left to think of the real bonus to contributors and an

accepted the Society's offer in of sound underwriting. respect of the new shares in the ... SOUND ORGANI ATION. Society allotted to them. The together with the you that our rganization dividend received from The Yang- throughout the world is thoroughtaze Insurance Association, Ltd. ly sound—and your directors are in respect of shares in that satisfied that when the hoped for Association taken in exchange by revival in trade materializes we the Society will be carried forward shall be in a position to take adto underwriting suspense account: vantage of opportunities which This balance is estimated at will then occur to extend our

The balance of the working restaurant in the West End of The Board further recommend

Limited draws the attention of London, Chang carried on his a transfer from the re-insurance

MoPherson, Mr. W. K. Reynolds, moving and the use of attempt to Mr. A. H. Hollingsworth. Mrs. use other than the proper entrances in the decision of the Secretary is, id. I think you will agree that little but when needed, worth fifty Mr. A. H. Hollingsworth, Mrs. use other than the proper straint as to where he time has come to strengthen time its price for a single dose. Sold G. D. R. Black, Mrs. H. U. or exits provided both or launches is to be released.

Treland Mr. A. S. D. Cousland, and wharves.

subject of intense competition, and in common wiht other underwriters of experience, the Society, on occasions, has found it necessary to allow business to pass rather than continue at 1 ites known to be unprofitable. The

account for the year 1924 stands Psh-loong, better known as £506,724 16s. 10d. and the Board recommends that an interim dividend of 24s. per share be paid to old and new shareholders and the England for possession of cocaine, balance carried forward. This The owner of a Chinese balance is estimated at £820,924.

the public to a by-law which lillicit dope traffic with an outward fund of £27,000 to the credit of and Mrs. J. Morris, Mrs. W. rouders a person liable to pro- show of sumptuous living until his the Sterling Reserva Fund which escution for either the act or | deeds came to light ofter his will increase this fund from attempt to enten or alight from connection with the Freda Remp. 1198,000 to 2222,000 and decrease Diarrhosa Remedy. Invaluable for

OFF FOR THE SUMMER VACATION:

without one bringing it to a close about 6 20. Amongst those present at the reception were :- The Hon. Colonial Secretary (Sir Claud Severn), Sir Eric and Lady Stuart Taylor, Sir Henry and Lady Pollock, Sir Messer, the Hon. Mr. D. W. B. A. Li You-tsun, Mok Ching,

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The At Home held at Govern- Mrs. Stanley Hocken, Mr. Wm. F. things of life—the problems con- interim dividend of 24s. per share ment House yesterday was lar. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. nected with the work of finan- shows that the balance available Van Andel, Capt. and Mrs. J. O. ciers, speculators; and all those for distribution is £368,741 1s. 5d. weather which necessitated the Carpenter, Mr. J. T. Bagram whose game is money first and and your Directors recommend restriction of the function to (Acting Consul-General for Siam), last? I am not decrying games; that this balance be dealt with Miss M. Sloan. Miss North but I am decrying this pursuit of in the following manner. Wentworth, Professor L. Forster, muscle. There is a greater work. A final dividend of 16s. per Mrs. Alexander Mackenzie, Mrs. to be done in inculcating a right share plus a bonus dividend of 5s. competition does not cease at rate Norman L. H. Railton, and Mesars. spirit in sporting crowds which, per share to the old shareholders reduction but has extended to the S. W. Teo, Li Tse-fong, Li Shun- in one direction, is purely one- of the Society and to those share- acceptance of liabilities under infan. Ho Kwong, Mok Kon-sang, sided and not devoted to thought holders of The Yangtsze Insur- surance policies that were never M. Wong, Li Sing-kui, La Po- of hoping the best side will win. A ance Association, Limited who contemplated in the pre-war days kwai. Chan Harr. Ho Wah-sang, visit to Happy Valley during any

Mok Man-chee, B. Wong Tape, football season will explain what Liang Shih-heu, Fung Ping-shan. I mean. Ho Kom-tong; Lo Chung-kue, Ma Chui-chui, Chan Tin-shan, Au Limtsun, Chau Sui-ki To Sze-tuen; Tsang Foo, Wong Ping-sun, Chau Tung-shang, Li Yik-mm, Bimon Tse Yan, Au Long-hin, Y. K. Mok,

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COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

CAPITAL IN JAPAN.

INCREASE IN INVESTMENTS

Capital invested in various enterprises in Japan during April totalled Y108,437,500, according to debentures. Compared with Malagash Mine in Nova Scotia, the preceding month, new business corporations increased by 15 with an entire capital investcompanies which increased their capitalization show an increase of 3, with the entire capitalization of Y24,595,000. Such companies as issued debentures during April decreased 5 from previous month to the total of

Y39 000,000. Compared with the corresponding period of last year, the investment in new business corporations increased by Y1,817,500. hy. Y17,191,000, and that in dehentures increased by Y8,450,000. . D. tails in investment of capital are:

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forestry 2 1,250,000 Commerce '...... 32: CAPITAL EXTENSION. Chief Manager. Binking 2 Y9,000,000 the industry for the month of Insurance Traffic - 4 Manufacturing-industry 5 Agriculture and forestry 1 Commerce 4

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LACE TRADE'S PLIGHT WOMAN'S FICKLE TASTE.

The committee appointed by the Board of Trade to consider the application of the Nottingham lace against 41,002,200 pounds; butter, BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE. trade for a duty under the Safe- 22,343,939 pounds, compared with imported machine-made lace and embroidery has concluded its in-

> Mr. C. F. Entwistle, on benalf of the lace and embroidery group of the London Chamber, of Commerce, opposing the application, urged that no one could say the Nottingham embroidery industry was efficient compared with other countries. It had only 300 of the 20,000 machines in the world. The lace industry of Nottingham, in technique and stability, was quite equal to its prosperous pre-war days. . It had suffered owing to the change of fashion. Woman charged her ways. She had to be coaxed, artistic designs and novelties had to be introduced in order to. stimulate trade. It was only, in this respect that Nottingham was criticised as being less efficient

than Calais and other places abroad Mr. C. E. Loseby, replying for the applicants, said: "If we fail in this application it is not an 'exaggeration to contemplate the probability of this industry rapidly diminishing into fewer hands and then being finally wiped out," Since the report of the 1923 inquiry the position of the industry had Capital (full paid-up) ... Yen 100,000,000 | changed for the worse, although there was a greater world

consumption of lace. We had been good enough to get. the greater part of the world's commerce, and we could do it now

but for the unfair competition, The committee will report to the Board of Trade in due course.

TRADE CUSTOMERS.

"India is our largest customer and in all 37 to 40 per cent. of our products and manufactures are shipped to the Empire," writes Mr. David W. Caddick in Commercial Do's and Don'ts (Methuen, 2s. 6d.

"Europe, the United States, South America, Japan" and China are all substantial customers. The whole world has been our market in the past, and in some branches of industry almost exclusively ours. Nowadays the different countries are anybody's markets. "China, with her enormous population, has great potentialities as Western habits become more

concessed the language of the language. Tink

CANADIAN TRADE

ITEMS FROM THE DOMINION

a report made by the Bank of \$1.374.780, was marketed, accord- the position of Irish agricultural Japan. Of this amount, Y47,587,500 ing to a report issued by the products in the British markets. was invested in the incorporation Bureau of Statistics. Plants of 87 banks and companies operated in Ontario contributed 07 quarter to which the Irish producer throughout the country, Y43,350,000 per cent of the total production, looks, a good deal more than ninein the increase of capitalization the balance, or 4.551 tons, was tenths of Trish exports going to and Y17,500,000 in the issue of made up of shipments from the Britain; and Mr. Whyte dealt with

> 5,000 crates, as compared with 1,469 during the same period last year and a total shipment in 1924 of 9,652 crates. Despite the quantity, prices have remained

Winnipeg, Manitoba. - Establishment of a gelatine manufacturing plant in Winnipeg at a \$1,000,000 is a probability in the near future. This enterprise will be financed by Australian capital, according to George F. Davis, Chairman of Directors of the Davis companies invested Gelatine Company, of Sydney, Y2,000,000 Australia, who is at present in 3,800,000. Winnipeg on a business trip.

Winnipeg, Manitoba. Western 10,520,000 Canada's wool clip last year had a 1,500 000 total value of \$631,700, according to the latest Government returns. 11,270,000 This sum was realized for 2,690,000 300,000 pounds of wool,

Montreal, Quebec.—Fayourable 14,710,000 progress by the Canadian sugar industry is shown in the statistical . Totali 87". 47.587,500 report issued by the Bureau of Statistics covering the activities of 9,000,000 March. For the four weeks end-19,400,000 ing March 28 the total manufac--tures--amounted-to-88 552,188 13,050,000 pounds of granulated and yellow sugar, as compared with 75,533,521 500,000 pounds of sugar for the same 500,000 period last year. For the peried from January 1 to March 25, inclu-43,350,000 sive, manufactures amounted to 214,445,158 pounds, as compared with 107,740,832 pounds.

Ottawa, Ontario,—Exports of dairy, products from Canada last year continued to increase and the aggregate vale rose from \$38,345,-809 in 1923 to \$41,551,730 in 1924, according to a report of the Federal Department of Agriculture. Cheese exported in 1924 amounted to 121,465,600 pounds. compared with 116,201,900 in 1923; condensed milk, 40,250,600 pounds, guarding of Industries Act on 13,173,711 pounds; milk powder, 7,264,947 pounds, against 4,975.838 pounds; fresh cream, 3,288,822 gallons, "compared with 2,668,747 gallons, and casein, 57,059 pounds, against 8,910 pounds.

FINANCIAL SAYINGS

The people who are actually engaged in banking and bill-discounting are much better judges of the safe limits of credit than the issue" banks are likely to be .-Mr. Wynnard Hooper.

Industry is suffering from three evils-insecurity, monotony, and suspicion. - Sir Thomas Inskip.

If the French would give up making 75mm. guns and buy drain pipes from Paisley, they would be much more formidable nation than they are at present.-Captain W. E. Elliott, M.P.

Too much time and attention is given to voicing opinions as to whether the workman does sufficient work a day or whether the manufacturer is profiteering.-Colonel H. Day, M.P.

It is the duty of the public to ask why it is that more is charged to take the coal from the pit top than it costs to get it out of the pit. -Mr. A. J. Cook.

Surely the soundest policy is to take some of the surplus population of this country and to place them in the undeveloped parts of the Empire rather than retain them at home and demoralise them with the dole. - Sir Edward Lucas.

A sound monetary policy is the foundation of all improvement,-Mr. D. M. Mason.

The electrical industry is to-day a "key" industry; as it can do so much for the good of other industries and for the welfare of our people as a whole. -Sir Philip

It has been said that an insurance company is not firmly established until the income has reached £100,000 - per annum .- Mr. J. J. Kershaw (Mutual Property Insurance Co.).

A writer in a Home paper says :-I am often asked if I would recommend a purchase of Lover Brothers Preference and Preferred Ordinary Shares which can be bought at prices competition from the United States, reply is that, if Lord Lieverhulme is Japan, Belgium and Germany assured of another hundred years Progress of the latter is due to the life, or alternatively, this Company greater number of technical repre- has insured his life for twenty five sentitives she sends and to visits million pounds I should consider into the interior by travellers with any of the specie a fair speculative

IRISH PRODUCTS.

STANDARD MUST BE UPHELD

Dublin, April 12.-R. A. Whyte, who is the chief trade and produce Ottawa, Ontario.—Salt produc- officer in Great Britain attached to tion in Canada during 1924 the office of the High Commisamounted to 210,737 tons, of which | sioner for the Free State, addressed quantity 207.979 tons, worth special Irish Farmers' Congress on

The British market is the chief some of the circumstances that are operating to ruin this market for Yarmouth, NovaScotia.—Lobster | the Irish farmer-to such an extent, men'in this vicinity are enjoying indeed, that Danish and New ment totalling Y.2,222,500, and one of the most profitable seasons Zealand butter is beating Irish in several years. Shipments to butter out of the market at the Boston during March exceeded present time, though Ireland lies at Britain's door.

STANDARD MUST BE UPHELD It was, said Mr. Whyte, a waste of time, energy and national reputation to sell the British mer- Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) 8.68 chant a first quality article, and then deliver him a second quality. article. That, he said, was being. done on a sufficient scale to discredit all Irish products and to damage that the capitalization increased cost of approximately more than those who conducted their business Canton coins along business lines.

SIR E. HAMBRO'S TWO MILLIONS.

£943,000 WINDFALL TO THE . TREASURY.

Sir Everard Alexander Hambro, of Hayes Place Kent, and Milton Abbey, Dorset, who was chairman of Hambro's Bank, and for years a leading figure in the flotation of foreign Government loans, left £200 to his valet. £2,323,710;

EXCHANGE

Hongkong, 29th May 1925. May 19. Banks Wire see sp. 13-Mr O. I. Andren patrick 30 day's sight ... Mr M. Axelrood Oredits. 4 months sight ... 1/3-Mr N. Boale Documentary, 4 months sight 2/8-1 n Paris- " On demand Capt. Bentley On New York-On demand 544 Credite, 60 days' sight ... 56 Mr H. A. Bigelow Mr.R. J. Birbeck . children In Bombay-Wire Bradley On demend ... Mr. W . Brash On Jaloutba-Mr F. O. Burgess Wire ... Mr S. T. Entlen On demand ... Mrs Buse On Singaporo-On demand ... Mr J. H. Oook n Manila-Mr J. J. Cornelly On demand ... On Shanghal -Lt. and Mrs D. M. Parsons On demand 30 days' sight (private paper) Dalton On Yokohama-

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Gold Loaf, 100 fine (per taal) 47.40

On demand ...

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The residue of his property is This, the first millionaire estate to be divided into 20 parts, seven of the new financial year, brings for his son Charles Eric, five for a windfall of about £943,400 to his son Donald Olaf, and four the Exchequer in the form of each for his sons Harold Everard and Angus Valdimar.

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29th May 1925.

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GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, Meesra. Juidine, Matheaon & Co, Ltd, Pedder Street, Hengkong on WEDNESDAY, the 10th June, 1925, at 11 o'clock in the morn. ing for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts, and electing Directors and

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NOTICE.

Mr. H. Percy Smith regrets that it has been impossible for him to personally say farewell to many of his friends and to thank them for all their kindness to him. He will be very glad at all times to hear from them.

Mr. H. Percy Smith leaves the Colony" on the Blue Funnel "Rhexenor" on the 1st of June, for England, where he has taken a house known as 10 Marine Terrace. BARMOUTH, North Wales,

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TN Accordance with Ordinance No.5 of 1912, the EXCHANGE BANKS will be closed for the transaction of PUBLIC BUSINESS on MONDAY, the 1st June.

Hongkong, 28th May, 1925.

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A large head with a bulging

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splinter of wood, with short arms

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the result of gland control.

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the future, but none so far as he.

stead of feet.

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a greater function to perform. By

regulating the glands we can

produce children who will be

workers and have intellectual

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regulate reproduction. A British.

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THE CULTURE OF CONCENTRATION.

At last Wednesday's public meetting of the Hongkong Lodge "of The Theosophical Society a lecture was given on "The Culture of Concentration. "The lecturer said in part :- Whatever we choose one thing we will need-concentration of purpose, of thought, feeling, and of action. It does not menn a narrowing, limiting; confining of our thoughts sympathics and interests, but increased thought, mercased activity; and widened symputhies. concentration of self-culture shall wisdom and fulfil the beliests of the Self within, which is ever all Police launches. wise and all-good. The Indian cultivation. That which is usual wages for an assistant sailmaker ly called knowledge is only an in- at the slipway. of persons, still latent or only owing to an outbreak of malaria

visible bodies have its own organs viz., to drain certain areas and to. which are the real basis for man's put gauze in all windows and senses in the outer world. The outer doors. The second was, adopted eya is only the instrument by and the sum would be spread out which, the real power of sight ex- between Taipo, Taipoling, Shatin periences that which relates so and Shataukok, sight, the ear has its inner master | Another vote approved of was the power of heaving, and so on for \$40,000, compensation to the with every sense organ. The Dairy Farm for re-arrangement. development and coherence of of lots at Pokfulam. The total these inner organs are gained by amount is \$60,000 but only the

contration." These inner organism of direct cognition have laborious! ly, to be disactually acquiring another set of As the train of thought always sense organs and diplicates his follows the mood, we must dominpowers, his bodily organs not being ate the mind by a permanent mood injured but remaining for use on stamped upon it by the will, thus the plane to which they belong, the most trifling or the most invisible body have been by same and prove of service toous. Having means developed in advance of the selected the permanent mood, we rest, as the inner head, resulting will to have, we then should-in charvoyance and claimadience, climinate from it all those things or again a band only is developed, which agitate it in any way, and allowing its owner to have certain watch the little things, economise experience on the astral plane, all our power, waste none in idle But such one-sided development thought, emotion or action. The backs the results of right concentra- higher possibilities beyond the tion and will leave one ignorant of brain will open before man endless many other qualities of the vistas of knowledge and power, phenomena maler observation. If a lingether beyond anything imthe practice of concentration be aginable in the examping limitakept up, man's invisible counter- tions of the brain. That higher part begins to gain coherence and state of consciousness is only to be to shape itself into a body with realised when the activities of conself-active centres of energy corres- scousness are carried beyond the ponding to the physical organs, groping cave-life in which they Just as a child must creep before normany dwell. That higher conit can walk, and must learn walk- sciousness will come to all men ing before it can run, man must sooner or laten, and when it comes put his growing subtler bodies to to anyone of us all his life will

constant trials and practice, to suddenly appear changed. We make it grow into maturity, as a shall no longer be staggered by the fit instrument for the Higher Self. thought of eternal lite in the ever Man will soon understand the changing universe of time, nimost necessity of constantly shall not now be appalled by practising the virtues hught and Dearful possibility of eternal rest insisted upon by all sages, as to the in changelessness, for these are but complete elimination of anger, fear, pride, vanity, imputience, otc., because all these negative qualities, in opposition to their corresponding virtues, set up violent disharmonithe higher bodies pulling their are safely based. When the component parts,—so laboriously vehicles are no longer our master,

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COLONY'S MONEY.

YESTERDAY'S FINANCIAL

Subsequent to the meeting of the Legislative Council yesterday afternoon, the Finance Committee sat, presided over by the Colonial Secretary.

Considerable discussion ensued over a vote of \$5,330 for personal emoluments in the Harbour Master's Department. The Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang raised the question of payment for overtime to Government officials and the Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak suggested that remuneration should be increased.

The Chairman said that part of the vote was for an allowance of \$50 a month to Mr. R. Hall, Assistant. Government Marine Surveyor, for work on Sundays and holidays at the yard and slipenable us to mirror forth" the way at Yaumati, it being a temporary measure for repairing

Owing to Mr. Russell being on 2nd June, at 10 a.m. calls it Yoga, or Union, meaning leave, the Marine Surveyors had the union with the Supreme Being. increased work and another part Different from Hathat roga which of the vote was to cover the prodevelops certain powers at the ex- motion of Mr. R. Hunter to be pense of extraordinary hardship to fifth surveyor at \$350 a month. the body, and for one life only, Then there was a difference of \$25. Raja-Yoga, the 'Kingly'" Yoga on the salary of a clerk and the leads to the perfection of spiritual last part was for \$225, being

outside, visible forms; yet there is at New Territory Police Stations in other a deeper power of discern- a sum of \$7,000 was voted. . The ment, which is, in the generality Colonial Secretary explained that partially developed. Man's in- two proposals were put forward,

the perfection of the power of con- sum voted will be spent this year.

agitangled from their physical fully accomplished unless we preinstruments with whom they are vent the accumulation of personal closely interknit, for squarate self- thoughts which give to things, its. conscions action. Thus man is agreeable or disagreeable aspect. Often certain parts only of the adverse events will fall into line

vibrations in the matter of shows the rock on which all things built up—apart, and flinging them and we are no longer the servant back into gross physical body, and of the bodies and the slave of the

thus arresting the growth of the senses, then we will have no subtler body of cognition so neces- attachment to anything but the sary for sparitual cultivation. We Great Law, and shall live in it, by must live a life of constant work and share its power, its bliss and and study and observation in its wisdom. Therefore are the blameless virtue, and highminded powers of all nature before you; ness, and Concentration cannot be take what you can.

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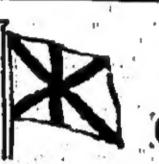
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The operation of the amendment to the Rent Ordinance of March 1924, has operated greatly to the better welfare of the tenants and a more complete fulfilment of the original ordinance, reports the Secretary for Chinese Affairs in his annual statement. This, he explains, is due to the checking of indiscriminate reconstruction and the depriving of landlords of the means of making unlawful increases of rent which the mere threat to demolish had hitherto brought them.

Tenants on receipt of a notice to quit issued by the "landlord almost invariably consulted this office on the legality of the notice. The notices frequently failed to conform to the requirements of the Rents Ordinance, 1922-23.

Throughout the year, cases arising from the demolition of party walls were numerous, but were generally settled amicably by arrangement between the tenant | panys Bye-Law No. 5, which reads. of the adjoining house, his landlord, and the landlord of the house to be demolished and rebuilt.

There were cases where an increase over standard rent was demanded and received. In many of these cases, it was found that the tenants had approached the landlord with an offer of increased rent if he would refrain from demolishing the house."

· Cases where rent is refused by the landlord have always been frequent. 'The landlord is summoned and advised to accept payment, and the tenant at the same time sent to inform the Registrar, Supreme Court, in case the landlord should seek to get him to quit by means of a distress warrant.

Ordinance 1 of March 7, 1924 altered the nature of the cases considerably, although the effect was not fully felt till the three months' notice, given in the notices issued before the amendment, had expired; as tenants sought advice more often towards the end of the period than immediately on receipt of the notice. Several notices to quit were issued by both architects and solicitors after the passing of this amendment which failed to conform to the requirement that the Building Authority's vertificate should state that the intended reconstruction is desirable.

As comparatively few such "desirability certificates" were issued, there have been frequent Building Authority on the nature of the tenancy of Please apply Post Office Box 42. the house in question, and the views of the tenants on the proposed demolition. In cases when the appeal has been granted, the tenants have been informed accordingly by this office and told that they should receive three

months' notice from the landlord. There have also been petitions from landlords for exemption. from the provisions of the Rents Ordinance, generally cases where the landlord wishes to assume the tenancy of his own house.

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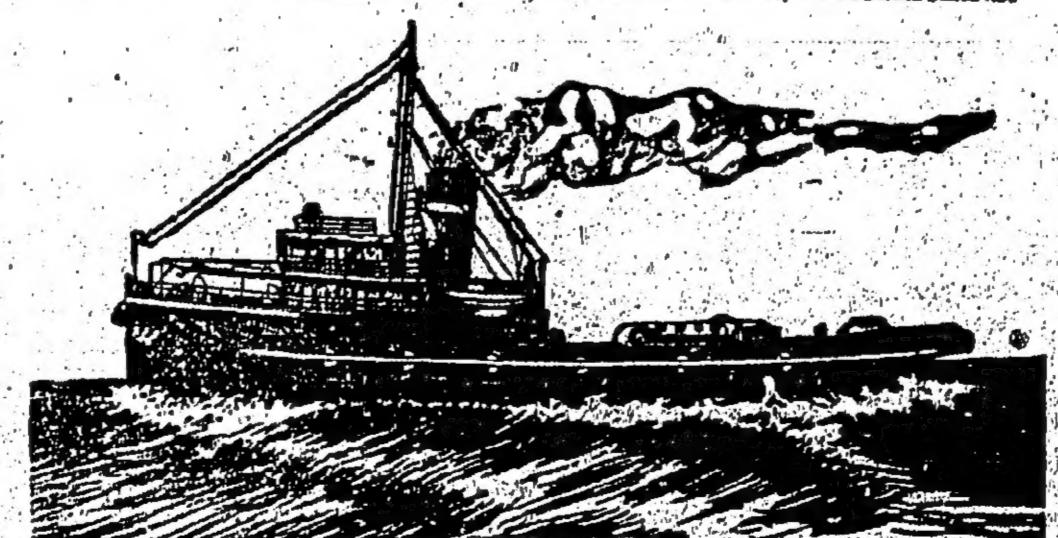
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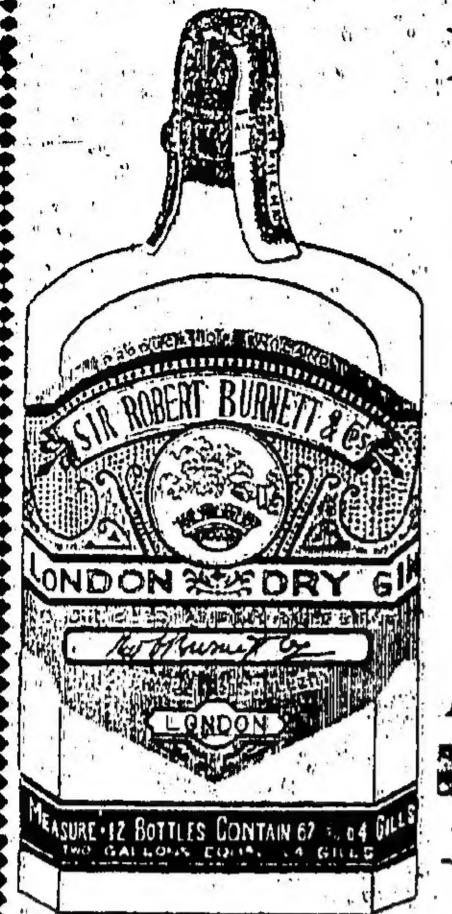
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Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Earnshaw desire to return their deep heartfelt and grateful thanks to all those kind friends of their late wreaths and flowers and attended the funeral.

Nothing could have been carried in which he was held, and their action has been a very great consolation to them in their dis-England.

April 30, 1925.

Hongkong, Friday, May 29, 1925.

PROTECTING SUB-TENANTS.

emphasised was the great need to to refrain from overloading it protect sub-tenants from principal with details which only tend to tenants of the profiteering type. Produce suits in Court which are That necessity perhaps weighed only to the advantage of the legal more than anything else in the Profession and not to the ultimate decision to continue the advantage, of other members of Ordinance for another year, with the provision permitting rents to be raised by fifteen per cent. In the large majority of cases subthe large majority of cases subtenants form a class who lare the two points raised were
concrally mable to protect them. generally unable to protect them selected to the economic and therefore are susceptible to be victimized by needing Athorses the susceptible to be victimized by needing at the susceptible to be victimized by needing the suscepti

particularly in the construction of certain clauses in a Court of the framers and of the Legislative Council.

heavens fall" was the axiom of the States, \$2,000. the principal tenants fall. That, forth at the meeting of the Legislative Council yesterday afternoon by the senior Chinese member, the Hon. Mr. Chow Shouson. A lessor, be he the principal tenant or a lessor under the principal tenant, has no equity or right to increase his rental charge to a sub-tenant if his own principal rent is not increased by the owner himself.

the discussion at yesterday's meeting was the right of the without being called upon to pay Son, Reginald, who so kindly sent the higher rent during the period of such notice. In the case of a tenancy for an indefinite period it out better, had they been present, is obviously not the intention of to mark the esteem and respect the Legislature that a sub-tenant should be placed unwittingly in a position to be penalised after tress .- Pomona, Swanley, Kent, giving due notice to quit. This point was very rightly strongly emphasised by the Hon. Mr. Alabaster, and generally supported.

The only difficulty in the way of the community." In the end and in spite of a disinclination to interfere with one of the longest sentences in the English language

manners, \$1,000.

Caine. Let justice be done to the teaching patriotic and unselfish p. 373) under date May 29, 1665, divulge, but consider such things sub-lenants of houses here though services to the people, illustrated is the following statement:by an eminent example, including, as too obvious, the names in a nutshell, was the plaint put George Washington, and Abraham Lincoln, \$1,000.

published during the year by an American author, \$1,000.

Travelling scholarships: having the value of \$1,500 each to graduates of the School of Journalism; who shall have passed their examinations with the highest honour and are otherwise most deserving to enable each of them to spend a year in Europe, to study the social, political and An equally vital point raised in moral conditions of the people, and the character and tenets of the

European press. sub-tenant to give notice to quit the value of \$1,500, to the student Fraser and Mr. John Gibbons, deemed the most talented and advantage of European instruc- slang. If, as we fondly hope, our talk, some of it mere common tion on the nomination of a jury grandchildren take any interest in civilian, some American or composed of members of the what we did in the Great War and Colonial. We knew of "duds" and of the teaching staff of the Words" throws more light on the Services had heard of "eyewash"

prove the fact that wealthy people | We owe the idea of it to the mobilised. All this is faithfully have great opportunities in all authorities of the Imperial War recorded, besides that considerlands to do some lasting good with Museum, who very properly desir- able and interesting vocabulary their riches. It may be easier for ed a record of the way our men which was new. Only the war a camel to enter the eye of a talked in Flanders and the North could have introduced us to giving effect to the fresh repre- needle than for a rich man to Sea. Most people will see visions "Bombardier Fritz," who is sentations raised yesterday was enter the Kingdom of Heaven; but of several west volumes. But, in "Fried potatoes." What would the natural desire to keep the there is surely hope for those who fact, the notion that the war the future historian make of a discussion on the continuance or Ordinance free from unnecessary make it their business to promote vocabulary was extensive and reference to "Asquiths" if this otherwise of the Rents Ordinance or matter and—in the striking words offort as is done by the Pulitzer researches of our diligent lexico—him that they were the French

TO-DAY'S SMILE.

WORTH COPYING.

There is a tendency to think of America as a place where materialisticalms take first place; where Americans pursue but one course-the acquisition of many dollars as it is possible to obtain. That there are Americans with a soul above pelf can easily be proved. That there are those Setting the brain and the soul on who regard the possession of wealth as connoting obligations Thank God for the swing of it. patriotism-allove of country and a high sense of ideals—is beyond reproach and worthy of emulation. Take for instance what is known as the Pulitzer Awards and agree at once that within its own limited sphere it is an example which might well be copied. Each year journalistic and musical professions:

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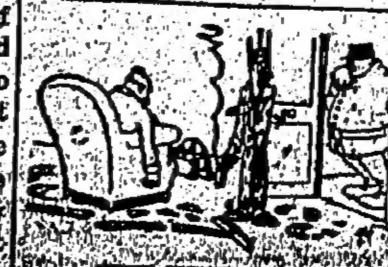
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can also be proved; whilst a For the clamouring, hammering are sometimes covered with gold number can be produced whose ring of it; leaf. At Looe, as well as in other,

the following awards are made PRINCE GEORGE, health's once monly worn in the button-hole. He is not slow to join the Fleet, For it is very plain that he Is quite, at home when quite at

moral purpose, sound reasoning, THE SCAPEGOAT, probably be shown, comes down from Hippoopinion in the right direction, due our minor ills. It is evidently under Christianity. The point of

the test being strict accuracy, climate under the sun; but a lot most interesting features of the terseness, the accomplishment of of young fellows come out here, Oath as translated:public good commanding and they dhrink and they eat, and public attention and respect; they dhrink, and they die; and by Asclepius, by Health, by Healthen they write home to their all, and by all the gods and god-For the best cartoon published friends a pack o' lies, and say it's desses, making them witnesses,

shall embody an idea made clearly COLD COMFORT, sued a catering gard my teacher in this art as: and striking pictorial effect, and the ground that she swallowed a partner in my livelihood, and shall be helpful to some commend. piece of glass in an ice-cream, lost when he is in need of money, to able cause of public importance, her case. A waitress said that share mine with him; to consider another "piece of glass" given her his offispring equal to my

> She bought an ice, She thought it nice;

Until she ate, then in a trice She felt a foreign substance pass" "Adown her throat. She

thought it glass; But in the Court they thought, That it was ice,

The glass suggestion did they scout-AND FROZE HER OUT!

In the Diary ROYAL OAK DAY, of John Evelyn course) that ought never, to be

This was the first anniversary appointed by Act of Parliament break it not, may I enjoy honour, to be observed as a day of General in my life and art, among all men Thanksgiving for the miraculous for all time, but if I transgress restoration of His Majesty; our and forswear myself, may the Vicar preaching on Psalm exviii. 24, requiring to be thankful and rejoice, as indeed we had cause.

House of Commons preached in has been a question of controversy Margaret's Church, West through so great an infinity of minster, before "the House,"

Speaker, the Sergeant-at-arms, The ardour, the urge, the delight the clerks, and other officers, and some half dozen members. This Work, that springs from the observance has been discontinued since 1858....

It is customory, especially in the North of England, for the common people to wear in their hats the leaves of the oak, which Draining the swamps and blast- districts of East Cornwall, the ing the hills,
Doing whatever the spirit wills.

usage of wearing an oaken leaf on the 29th of May was enforced "Thank God for a world where by spitting at, or "cobbling," the none may shirk, offender. In Derbyshire, on this Thank God for the splendour of day, branches of young oak are gathered and put up over the doors of many houses, and a small Now that his sprig of the same tree is com-

The doctor of to-day Doctors, takes no oaths on entering his profession. but the doctor of Pagan Greece and Christian Rome apparently ... The climate will did, for such an oath, we are here . . . blamed for all crates, although it was varied account being taken of the whole made the scapegoat in India as the this Hippocratic Oath is that while it dates from Pagan times. "India, my boy," said an Irish- it was adapted in the Middle Ages For the best example of a man to a friend on his arrival in in order that Christians might. reporter's work during the year, Calcutta, "is just the finest take it. Here are some of the

> "I swear by Apollo Physician, that I will carry out, according to my ability and judgment, this A nurse who oath and this indenture: To refirm for £500 on | equal to my parents; to make him by the nurse was really a bit of brothers; to teach them this art, ice, which melted in her hand. .. if they require to learn it, without fee or indenture; and to impart precept; oral instruction, and all the other learning to my sons, to the sons of my teacher, and to pupils, who have signed the indenture and sworn obedience to the physicians' Law, but to none

"I will use treatment to help the sick according to my ability and judgment, but I will never use it to injure or wrong them.

"Whatsoever in the course of . practice I see or hear (or even outside my practice in social inter-(1859, Vol. 1, published abroad, I will not to be holy secrets.

"Now if I keep this oath and opposite befall me.

The most interesting feature of this document, perhaps, is the On this day the chaplain of the fact that the secrecy of doctors

THE SLANG OF

honour the names of Mr. Edward have set their hands to the task,

If posterity does its duty it will recorded can have had but limited currency. How many of us ever heard anyone say, "Niet. dobra" or "Do svidanya?" greater part of war slang was, deserving, in order that he may while memories still are fresh, of in some cases altered and adapted. compiling a dictionary of war Some of it was Army and Navy teaching staff of the Department how we did it, they will find this long before we knew of barrages, of Music in Columbia University book of "Soldier, and Sailor we "wangled" in civil life, the spirit and the manners and and "swinging the lead" and be-These are none the worse for customs of the men who fought ing "given a bowler" and "King's being insularly American. They than many an earnest historian. hard bargains" years before they graphers have not found a great matches of commerce, which renumber of words which were for quire you to wait and see whether hostilities only. We learnt, of they will light? Where would he course, a lot of French. "Napoo," learn what "Fred Karno's Navy" though probably a possession for was, or what it was to "Go to ever, could only have come sausage hill," or who was the through the war like its less use "O.C. Swills?" But surely he ful relations "Compree" and "No should be told how it is that bong," and the rest, But most of "Gone stone winnick" comes to the Hindustani or other Oriental mean "muddled," Many precious phrases, like "Blighty," which anecdotes this dictionary emstrange, were quite familiar to the as funny to the future as to us we old army. It will, however, be dare not predict. But surely our news to a good many people that posterity, however superior will Bobbery, which has surely been smile as they read how the mess perfectly, good ordinary civilian sergeant of a Regular battalion of

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NOTABLE FUNCTION. (Runher's Service.)

. London, May 28. pany, presided over by Lord identical. Birkenhead, Secretary for India. and including the Australlan and



AB HOUGHTON

South African High Commission ers, at the English-Speaking Unions function to welcome the new American Ambassador, Mr. Alanson B. Houghton.



Toasting Mr. Houghton, Lord Birkenhead said he came at moment when Anglo-American relations, diplomatic, social and political, were never more harmonious. The process of twisting the Lion's tail once almost a common form of election in the United States appeared to belong to remote history. (Laughter).

FRANCE'S LOSSES. MOROCCO CAMPAIGN CASUALTIES.

(Reuter's Service.)

PARIS, May 28. The French casualties in Morocco up to the present are 400 killed, of whom two fifths are French and three fifths natives, and 1100 wounded according to figures quoted by the Premier, M. Painleve when the Chamber of Leputies to Mr. Chamberlain's statement, was debating the Moroccan situa-

the number of French troops sent issue thereof, part of which is held to Morocco. He assured the House by British shareholders. that the Government would not! Chinese authorities state that there unnecessarily prolong the pacifica- is no default on the British issue tory operations.

Lord Birkenhead rejoiced that the memories of the war still prevailed to remind British and Americans and warn the world that in the last resort their ideals

tribute to the work of the English-Speaking Union strengthening the "understanding between their peoples on which the happiness, security and peace and Farm which at the end of a of the world largely depended.

TREATY BROKEN.

GERMAN MINISTER'S DISCLOURSE, CHE.

CIVIL WAR FEARS.

(Reuter's Service.)"

BERLIN, May 28. The Reichstag has rejected a Socialist motion of censure as-a protest against the defence estimates.

Herr Gessler declared Germany was honourably fulfilling the peace treaty but could not sacrifice her freedom.

He divulged the fact that in 1923 during the danger of civil was the Government permitted an extension of the Reichswehr in violation of the treaty but this was only, temporary and the recruits were discharged later.

LOST IN FOG?

JAPANESE AVIATORS MISSING.

(Reuter's Service.)

PEKING, May 28. The Japanese aviators departed from Fleijo at seven g'clock this morning, but up to eight o'clock this evening nothing more had urging him to surrender. been heard of them since they passed over Liaoyang at ten

o'clock. It is thought probable that they lost their way in the fog and landedat some point whence communication to Peking is impossible.

BELGIAN POLITICS.

LIBERAL FAILS TO FORM. CABINET.

(Reuter's Service.)

BRUSSELS, May 28: M. Max has abandoned the attempt to form a Cabinet.

[A Brussels message on May 23 stated: The Liberal, M. Max, who moved the vote of censure on the Van de Vyvere Ministry has agreed to attempt to solve the crisis. He has announced his intention of first examining the possibilities of forming a ministry outside Parliament as a temporary mea-

TYPHOID SCOURGE.

FIJI ISLANDS BADLY HIT.

(Reuter's Service.)

MELBOURNE: May 28. A steamer arriving from Fiji reports that twelve whites and 200 natives have died of typhoid in the islands up to May 18.

Peking, May 28.-With reference regarding the Tientsin Pukow Rallway Loan, it is understood The Premier declined to reveal | that this refers only to the German

of that loan.—Reuter.



DASH TO POLE.

Two Weeks - For Amundsen.

ANXIETY ALLAYED.

AERONAUTIC ASSOCIATION STATEMENT.

(Reuter's Service.)"

Oslo, May 28. According to the Aeronautic Captain Roald Amundsen before his departure for the North Pole stated the There was a distinguished com- of civilisation and humanity were flight would probably last a fortnight, hence the Association saw Mr. Houghton, in reply, paid a no reason to suppose the explorer had met with an accident.

Nevertheless the Association had requested two naval aeroplanes to assist the vessels Hobby fortnight would begin a search. Another Rescue Party.

San Francisco, May 28. Mr. Arnold Liebes announces that Messrs. H. Liebes and Comceed to Point Hope and seek traces. of the Amundsen party, on the chance that they have landed in Alaska. "

Mr. Liebes helped Capt. Amundsen 2 years ago to prepare a landing-ground at Point Barrow to be used if adverse winds blew him across the North Pole.

Mr. Liebes is of the opinion that Amundsen will travel by dog team from Point Barrow to Point Hope, and thence homeward.

MORO RUSH

LATEST PHILIPPINES FIGHTING.

FIELD GUN USED

MANILA, May 28. ultimatum by the Constabulary, Waichinopu yesterday, drawing Sub-Major Orville M. Johnston attention to the lack of protection attacked the Sultan of Sa Raya, of foreign lives and property. the disaffected Mohammedan leader at Lanao who has been holding the fort for many weeks and destroyed some machinery. spite of a personal visit by Governor General Wood recently



CENTERAL WOOD

Seven Moros were killed and a arge number escaped.

A field gun a Stokes mortar and two Navy seaplanes aided in the attack. It is believed the Moros rushed out and broke through the Constabulary cordon when the firing began. It is also thought that the Sultan escapec.

. There were no casualties among the Constabu! ry.

> HOPE GONE. OVER FIFTY MEN

PERISH.

COAL MINE DISASTER. (Reuter's American Service.)

RALEIGH, N. CAROLINA, May 28. Hope of rescuing the men entombed in the Sanford coal mine has been abandoned. It is feared that all succumbed

to after damp. Over fifty men were entrapped following an explosion at mid-day in a coal mine at Sanford. Acrid smoke issuing from the mine mouth hindered the rescue. Two further explosions in the afternoon

13 PER CENT

hampered the subsequent opera-

PROPOSED ROYAL DIVIDEND. (Reuter's Service.)

THE HAGUE, May 28. The Royal Dutch recommend a dividend of 13 per cent.

> ITALIAN AVIATOR. (Restor's Service.)

The Italian aviator de Pinedo has arrived here

bankers, Measu Blair in com-position with the National City Bank, there posterior and accompany worth of Morningan Sant I be indexed in Signer went rifered

LABOUR CONDITIONS.

WILL THE EAST LAG BEHIND THE WEST? GENEVA DEBATE.

Appeals To Japan to Ratify 8-Hour

Strong appeals have been made to Japan to ratify the Washington 8-hour day convention so that all the nations can take similar action.

(Reuter's Service.)

Geneva, May 28. day convention.

Mr. Suzuki, Japanese workers' matter of cotton manufactures. would continue their efforts to national differences.

secure ratification. conditions of labour.

RIOTOUS STRIKERS.

TROUBLE.

TSINGTAO COTTON MILLS

(By Courtesy of Daily Bulletin). Peking, May 28.

A recrudescence of the recer trouble at the Japanese cotton mills at Taingtno has been reported the Japanese Legation, in consequence of which Mr. Yoshizawa, Japanese Minister, made verbal re-Following the expiration of the presentations in person to the

> The reports state that the workers at three of the mills struck work, Some Japanese were injured in a

> clash between the workmen the police, who are reported to have been unable to control the situation. The fresh outbreak is attributed to an agitation by the ex-employees who were dismissed as a result of the previous strike.

WINDOWS SMASHED. Tsingtao, May 28...

Seven thousand operatives of the T. Aikang and Nagai mills, who are idle through a lock-out, to-day broke into the buildings by smashing the windows. When ordered to leave they

fused, and armed themselves with crowbars. The workers hope to force the

Japanese owners into a resumption of operations, but the managements declare that the lock-out will stand until the workers dissolve their It is reported that two destroyers

are hastening here from Port that this action had been taken Tatsuda is awaiting sailing orders Governments. Marines will be landed to protect

the properties. deciding upon this course of action | South Wales £6,500,000 five per

are apathetic.

OBSTACLE TO PROGRESS. "ployer, endorsed Mr. Joshi's remarks. He appealed to Japan to ratify the convention.

Mr. Mayeda, the Japanese Government delegate, said the Gov-This morning's sitting of the ernment was in nowise indifferent Labour Conference was occupied to the convention, but the Japanwith speeches by the Japanese and, esa factory act provided for: Indian delegates respecting rati- improved conditions. He doubted fication of the Washington 8-hour the existence of keen competition. between India and Japan in the

delegate, regretted the Japanese Dealing with emigration, Mr. failure to ratify the convention. Mayeda said there should not be He said that Japanese workers discrimination or racial and

Sir Nalini Chatterjee, Indian Mr. Joshi, an Indian worker, Government delegate, hoped Japan instructed their ship Charles of the convention by the Indian social progress which affected states, and said that if Japan did India keenly. He concluded with not ratify the convention it would an appeal to Japan, India and difficult for the workers of India | China to demonstrate that they to secure progress in respect of were in nowise behind the Western countries of the world in Sir F. Smith, an Indian em- matters of social and economic

> Sir Nalini Ranjan Chatterjee, M.A., B.L., who was created a knight the same year, has been a judge of the Calcutta High Court since 1920.

Sir Thomas Smith, is Managing Director of the Muir Mills Co., Co., Cawnpore. He was President of the Upper India Chamber of Commerce from 1918-21; and was also a member of the United Provinces Legislative Council from 1918 to 1924.

OUR REDS TO MEET.

(Reuter's Service.)

LONDON, May 28. In the House of Commens in eply to questions, Sir William Joynson-Hicks, the Home Secretary, intimated that permission had been refused to various foreign Communists to attend the Communist conference at Glasgow on May 30. Any of them landing without permission would be deported.

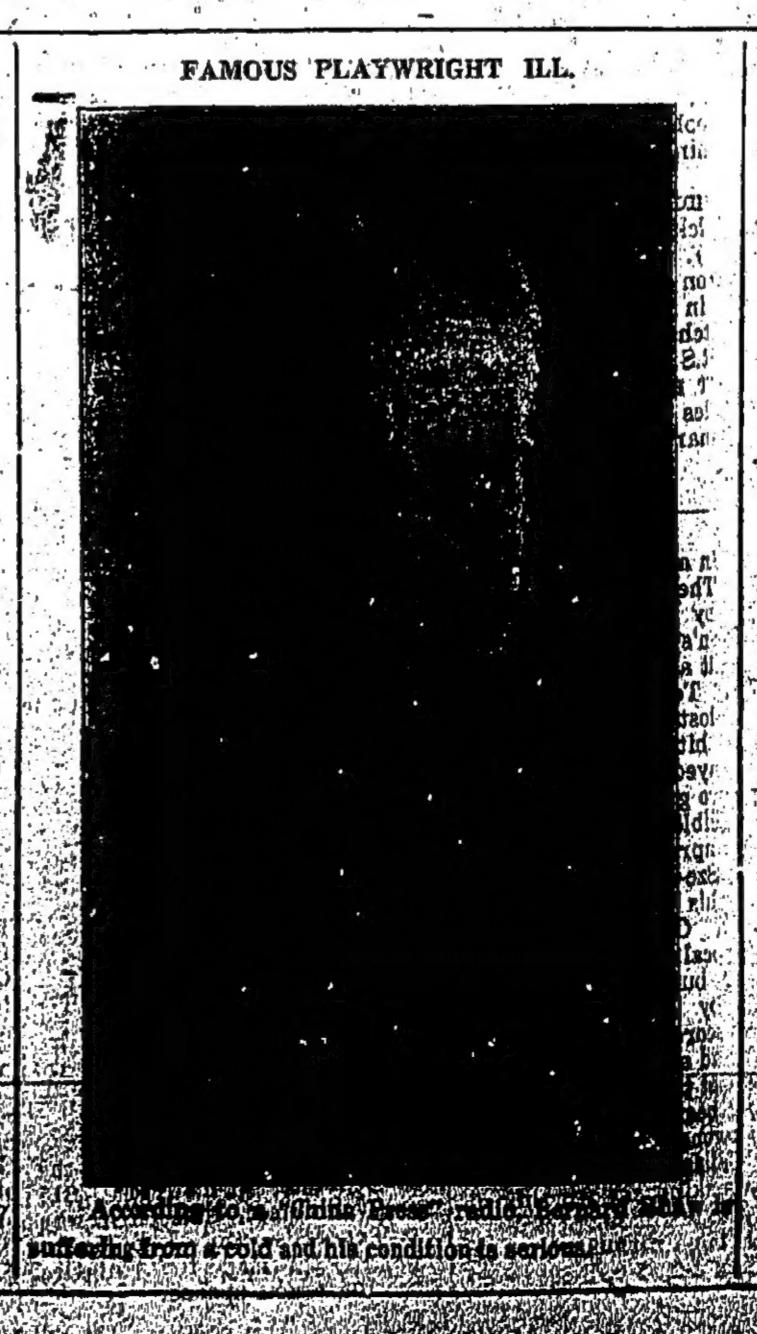
Mr. George Lansbury and Mr. J. R. Clynes asked the definition of subversive propaganda and whether the Government had decided that Communist propaganda was illegal.

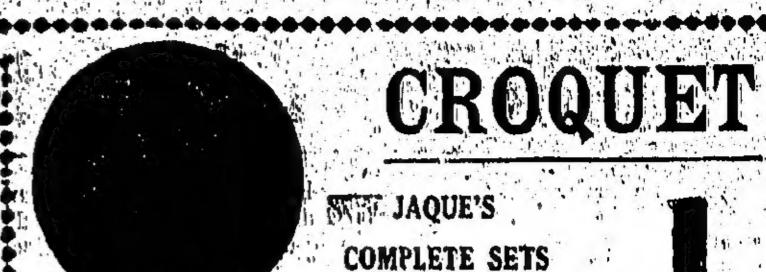
Sir William Joynson-Hicks replied that certain "things were permitted to British nationals but the Government could not permit foreigners to come here and do them (Ministerial cheers.)

Mr. Lansbury asked if this was. the result of communications with other governments with a view preventing Britons participating in international conferences aboard. Sir William Joynson-Hicks re-

plied that there had been no international arrangements and Arthur, and also that the cruiser without reference to any other

London, May 28.—Following the recent failures of the financial The Japanese Foreign Office is issues the underwriters of the New regardless of diplomatic entangle- cent. loan at 981/2 have been saddled ments, feeling that the local police with 68% per cent. of the issue.





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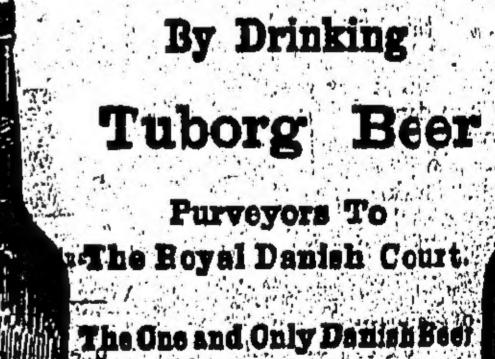
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"CHINA MAIL" SPORTS PAGE.

HONOURS EVEN. YESTERDAY'S EXHIBITION TENNIS.

JAPANESE VISITORS. HONGKONG'S VICTORY IN THE

In spite of a drizzle which fell at the time fixed for the commencement of the exhibition tennis at the H.K.C.C. yesterday afternoon, a fair number of spectators were present to see Ohta, the Japanese Far- Eastern: Olympiad player in action against Honda" (last year's local champion). In the doubles, Toba, who defeated O'Callaghan the previous day, again opposed each other, Ng Sze-kwong combining with the local champion and Toba being. partnered by Kobayashi, who also ! played the previous afternoon.

With the slippery ground, good tennis was hardly to be experted. but the matches were sufficient w interesting to detain the species tors until the end in spite of in weathers More enthusiasts continued to come in as play progressed.

Toba, with his customary specithe court, delighted the onlookers with some amusing attitudes, once rolling on the ground, and at another time having his racquet blown off by his partner's hot service; but he always had his smile. Of Callaghan also sprawled on the ground and skated in the direction of the stand in attempting to return difficult shots.

The singles match commenced more than half an hour late, by which time the drizzle had ceased. only to come down again shoitly after the next match began. Ohta won in two straight sets, 7-5, 6-4,



Honda using his fast forehand drive to advantage. Many returns from both sides went outtion, which gave him the necessary balance to put plenty of spin into the strokes. He was not so good with his backhand strokes. Honda scored often whenever the visitor came to the net by passing him with well placed forehand drives along the side lines.

The doubles match commenced at nearly six o'clock, and owing! to the lateness of the hour the match was altered to best of three sets instead of five.

The first set went to the Japanese players, 6-4. O'Callaghan and Ng. Sze-kwong then brought off a surprise by taking the next set 6-0, and the third at 8-6, thus winning the match.

Ng Sze-kwong played a brilliant game, better than he had done in any of his recent appearances, and especially in the second set outshone his partner in smashing and good placing, which helped materially towards victory. O'Callaghan, on the other hand, was inclined to poach. Although & O'Callaghan's smashes often went into the net or outside, his other and after four deuces had been shots from the centre of the court called, the visitors won, 6-4. were excellent. Few opportuni- Kobayashi opened the second ties, however, were offered to him set, and the local pair quickly ran by the visitors, who avoided playlying to him or lobbed. Given a dry
given a better account of them.

Substitute of the still improved by getting the series of the seri

Applause was given all round and a doubtful result was decided in semi-darkness with the local men winning.

Lt.-Col. T. A. Robertson again rendered efficient service as umpire, and obliged the players with constant changes for the mud-stained balls, a necessary step owing to the bad light.

Singles Match. In the first set, the first two games went to Ohta.



secured the next two and the fifth but lost the next, a love game, on his opponent's service, 3 all. double and a bad length stroke cost the bonl manthe next game, but by persistently good play he made it 4 all. A ding-dong struggle ensued in the next two games, one of them going to six deuces, and each taking a game. Ohta then made the game :6-5:: With 40-love against him, Honda levelled up and after two deuces the visitor scored by good service,

and lost the first game, securing inter-platoon boxing tournament, the next, both providing long which will be continued to-day rallies. The third and fourth and to-morrow at 8 p.m. games went to Ohta, who in the next drove all into the net "and ! gave the fifth away. Ohta took the sixth game after two deuces, losing the seventh to his opponent on the latter's service. With a lead of 4-3, the visitor gained Hawkey (2). another game after a long strug-Honda improved by beauti- defeated Pte. Blake (3)... placing at the net. On his own service Ohta got the tenth game, set and match, 6-4,

Doubles Match.

A long struggle gave Toba and Kobayashi the first two games in the first set and also the third with O'Callaghan hitting outside round. twice. The fourth game went to the local men with O'Callaghan playing brilliantly on his own round. and some good play was seen with service. With Toba serving and Kobayashi smashing, the score Read (13). was 4-1 in their favour. O'Callaghan reduced the deficit by good side. Ohta has a fairly fast ser- smashing, securing the next two Leavy. vice, and his speedy forehand games. The eighth game went to drives, accurately placed, were de-livered with a peculiar flicker of the wrist from a stooping posi-the with No Sac but O'Callaghan The tenth game was a stern strug-Light were Light were gle with Ng Sze-kwong serving,



DAVIS CUP.

BRITAIN IN THIRD ROUND.

DOUBLES VICTORY. (Reuter's Service.)

Copenhagen, May 28. Britain best Denmark in the second round (European zone) of the Davis Cup by winning the first three matches played. In the doubles Godfree and

C. H. Kingsley (Britain) beat Ulrich and Worn (Denmark, 7-5, 7-5, 6-2, [J. D. P. Wheatley and Gilbert

won their singles matches each in five sets. To date results in the first round of the European Zone have been :-

Denmark beat Rumania. Britain beat Poland. Holland bent Czecho-Slovakia. India beat Helgium... Sweden beat Switzerland. Austria bent Ireland.

HONGKONG LOSES.

BASKETBALL MATCH WITE CHINA.

GAMEAT Y.M.C.A.

Chinese and Japanese Far East money on his horse and had be- and halved the eighteenth. match at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. what a Black Monday it would be ite, beat Stubbs by 6 and 4. last night when China defeated in Shanghai if the colt came un-Hongkong (represented by the stuck! pick of the S.C.A.A. and

Y.M.C.A. teams) by 58 to 19. China was represented by her Donoghue, it is generall agreed Olympiad team,

NOBLE ART. SURREYS PLATOON

BOXING.

A Murray Barracks last night, a start was made with the Surrey Honda opened the second set, Regiment's. "Montague Bates"

Last night's results were:-BANTAMWEIGHTS. Pte. Felham(9) had a walk over, Pte. Thompson (14) having scratched.

FEATHERWEIGHTS.

Pte. Ward (7) defeated Pte.

- LIGHT WEIGHTS.

Pte. Ballard (R.S.) defeated bedecked with the owner's colours. LIGHT WEIGHTS.

Grant (13).

Pte. J. White (9) lost to L.-C. able to purchase a yearling to win Most of the Clubs - were Muffett (D. and S.) Pte. Pooley (3) knocked out Cpl. Robhins (15) in the 3rd round.

MIDDLEWEIGHTS. Sgt. Hicks (10) beat Pte. Barber (5). Pte. Eaton (4) knocked out Pte. Miles (7) in the second round. Pte. Butchart (7) lost to L.-C. Wright (R.S.)

LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHTS. Pte. Steles (10) knocked out Pte. Whitmarsh (6) in the second round.

double fault and deme being call. On Wednesday afternoon, the Japanese lost two games, with Company beat the Engineers by 4 of thanks, proposed by the Hancock.

Hancock, Mr. Ladies visitors played better and took best Mounted Infantry by the to the hon. secretary, Mr. Ladies Foursome—Two prizes the next two games making 4 all, same score. Hollands. and by forcible and beautiful play In the semi-final of the tug-of-

WHAT HE WON.

MR. MORRISS'S DERBY VICTORY.

SOLLY JOEL'S SHARE. (Reuter's Service.)

London, May 28. Mr. H. E. Morriss's winning on Manna totalled £50,000. In addition he bought a half-share in the



the Derby win.

EARLIER CABLES.

Mr. Henry Morriss bought for £2,900 a half share in the winning

triumph for all concerned with holes. At half-time the score was 28-9. Manna and especially for Steve that spectacularly it was a very. dull affair, lacking all excite-

ment; for the race was over

almost as soon as it was begun and the weather was deplorable. Experts point out that on yesterday's running Manna obviously stays a mile and a half and most certainly possesses great speed. He is the first colt since Sunstar to win the Two Thousand Guineas and the Derby and, with the possible exception of Picaroon, France. His trainer, Mr. Fred in Hongkong on transfer to Darlin, of Beckhampton, deserves | Messrs. Mitsui Bussan Kaisha. much congratulation for develop-

£8,000 to £10,000. Mr. Morriss ed that the rumour may have been Holcolmbe (12) had a walk-over entertained forty guests at a din- due to "the wish being father to ner at Claridges. Steve Donoghue | the "thought." headed the procession to the din- Messrs. Ohta, Yoshida 'and Pte. Williamson (1) knocked ing hall, consisting of Lord Kobayashi, it was stated, are with out Cpl. Wilson (12) in the third Dewar, Lady Lonsdale, Lady cotton mills in Japan and they are Tenterden and the trainer, Mr. returning by the Empress Pte. Hatt (6) was beaten by Fred Darling. When Steve Russia to-day. Pte. Bristowe (3) in the first Donoghue appeared the guests threw flowers at him and Pte. Parsons (2) defeated Pte. the orchestra played "See the Conquering Hero Comes." Mr. Pte. Bonner (14) was knocked Morriss took his seat under a out in the first round by L.-C. massive gilt replica of Manna suspended from the ceiling, and He found awaiting him a stack of cablegrams of congratulation the Derby in 1927.

> VOLUNTEER SPORTS.

YESTERDAY'S FOOTBALL FINAL.

TO-DAY'S HEATS.

At the Kowloon F. C. ground the Association. yesterday, the Infantry Company The following officers for the of the Volunteers defeated the ensuing year were elected: Scottish Company in the final of President, Mr. G. T. May; Vicethe six-a-side football by 2 goals President, Mr. R. Hall; Treasurer, Toba fell in attempting a difficult fore, score 4 points towards the F. T. James. The committee was \$1. Unlimited entries; no competition unless 20 condended to taken The next game was athletic sports on Whit-Monday elected as follows:—Lieut. A. E. petition unless 20 cards are taken

ed, 2 all. Toba served and the semi-finals were played. Infantry

AT WESTWARD HO! BRITISH AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

FINAL TO-DAY.

LOCAL MAN TO MEET FAVOURITE.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, May 28. At Westward Hol, Devon, in the semi-finals of the Amateur Golf Championship of Britain, the Scot, Robert Harris (Royal and morrow:-Ancient) beat Noel Layton (Walton Heath) by one hole.

beat H. Hardman (Birkdale) by two holes. Harris was followed by a large gallery and was two up at the turn in 39. Layton squared at the sixteenth, halved the seventeenth, but played into a ditch at the

K. Fradgley (North Devon)

eighteenth and conceded the hole and match.

Fradgley's likewise was a close match. He and Hardman turned all square with 39 each and were still all square at the sixteenth. visit Taikoo. Should Craigenwinning ticket- on the Stock- Ex Fradgley won the seventeenth. gower continue their winning the public beaches in different change Sweep for £3,000 but dis- Hardman was in the burn at the sequence to-morrow, their chances posed half his share to Mr. eighteenth and gave up. West- of being league champions will exploring in private craft.

Harris Strong Favourite. In a three-quarter gale and green ticket in the London Stock Ex- under the most difficult of condichange Sweep, in which the first tions, in the sixth round, Layton prize was £50,000. He says that beat Cruickshank at the nine- being ready, the Club will start all Shanghai was on him to a man. teenth; the latter was out in 38, their home fixtures with a visit He had been inundated with turned two "up but after that a from the Bowling Green Club. Part of the programme arrang- cables from China for the past great match was played. They They will, I hear, be without one

and 1. While the Derby was a great | Fradgley beat Board by two win of the season.

NOT TRUE.

TOBA NOT STAYING HERE:

TENNIS RUMOUR.

[By "Hotspur."]

Rumours were current among tennis enthusiasts yesterday that Toba, Japan's singles representais obviously the best colt of his tive in the (Far East) Olympiad age in training in England or singles, would take up residence

On inquiry from the local ing the stamina of the colt, who M.B.K. offices this morning, I was Pte. Foster (R.S.) beat Pte. last autumn did not seem likely to informed that Mr. Toba, who is develop into a colt with sufficient | with M.B.K.'s Shanghai office, is Drummer Simpson (D. and S.) stamina to win Derby in heavy not being transferred here. Tonight he goes up to Canton but It is stated that Mr. H. E. will return to Shanghai next Morriss has given Steve Donoghue week. The sub-manager explain-

FOOTBALL LEAGUE.

ANNUAL MEETING YESTERDAY.

L.-C. Masters (11) beat Pte. A. from the Far East. Mr. Morriss meeting of the Hongkong Football said he would now remain in Eng. League was held in the Board Pte. Mann (1) beat Pte. Gaskin land till the Doncaster sales in Room of Messre. Shewan Tomes September when he hoped to be and Co. Mr. G. T. May presided. presented.

> Before asking the hon, secretary, Mr. W. E. Hollands, to read the is not acceptable and it is to be minutes of the last meeting, the hoped that the governing body Chairman congratulated the South | will see their way to return to the China Athletic Association on old order of things. their winning the Far Easterm Olmpic football championship

The Chairman said that school football would be dealt with by the Football Association. The League would give every assistance, but it was a matter for

Secured by the visitors on and the Scottish Company get 2 Cottan, Messrs. U. Omar, Woog out. On Saturday, Sunday and Ka-chuen, E. de Souza and F. Monday.

of thanks, proposed by Mr. Omar, cap, a prize presented by Mr. H.

WEEK-END SPORTS BUDGET.

LAWN BOWLS.

SUGGESTED VALLEY. CHAMPIONSHIP.

CURRENT GOSSIP.

[By "Onlooker."]

The following are the league games down for decision to-

FIRST DIVISION. Taikoo R.C. v. Craigengower

Civil Service C.C. v. Kowloon B.G.C. Kowloon C.C. v. Kowloon Dock

SECOND DIVISION. R.H.K. Yacht Club v. Taikoo R.C. Indian R.C. v. East Point R.C. Police R.C. v. Kowloon C.C.

Craigengower play their first away game to-morrow when they ward Ho! is Fradgley's home look very rosy. They will, however, have no easy task as Taikoo have vet to be beaten on their own

The Civil Service green now 5 p.m. ed for the passing through of the fortnight asking him to put were all square at the seventeenth of the relever skips, Mills having Hongkong and the Peak Hotel, Olympiad teams was a basketball gun to tremble when he thought | Harris, who is a strong favour- persistent run of bad luck should leave them now and having the Hardman beat Crummack by 2 advantage of playing at home, they should secure their first

> On the Cricket Club green at Kowloon, the visitors will be the Always "weather permitting" Dock Team, and on present form, the shipbuilders are likely to take | meeting of the season starts at the points home with them.

> In the second division, the the same time on Whit-Monday. Yacht Club receive the Taikoo second string, I am afraid that the chances of a home victory event each day. To be in time are very remote.

Point Club and should secure two more points.

At Happy Valley the Police will races each day, Taking the usual be at home to the Kowloon Cricket | time, the important event will Club juniors and on form they start at about 5 p.m. and racing should win, although their last ought to be over by 6.45 p.m. two games have only been won by very narrow margins.

It has been suggested that the Granville Stakes, one mile, for three Clubs at Happy Valley, griffins of this season, penalties namely the Civil Service, Police | and allowances; 8, Chesham Hanand Craigengower, make a com- dicap, A Class, six furlongs; 4, championship of the Valley.

This sounds like a good idea. winners and sub griffins, to be The games could be played on ridden by jockeys who have not Sundays and a very enjoyable won more than four races; 6, time could be had. I am sure the Waterford Plate, B Class, 11/4 Clubs would be willing, and it miles; 7, Waterford Plate, A only requires some generous en- Class, 11/4 miles. thusiast to provide a trophy for the suggestion to be adopted.

Bowls Association are sending an | allowances for subs; 3, Maidstone invitation to Shanghai for them to | Plate, one mile, for non-winners visit this port later in the season | this season; 4, June Handicap, A

At the meeting of the Association the question of the open championship singles will, I hear, again be discussed. It is obvious from the feelings of the general body of players that the new idea

HOLIDAY GOLF.

FANLING COMPETITION DETAILS.

For the Whitsuntide holidays the following competitions have

Also in connection with above, The meeting closed with a vote for best medal score under handi-

TO SEE WHERE.

MUCH VARIETY.

WHERE TO GO FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

(By "Hotspur.")

It only remains for the weather to be in the right mood for Hongkong to spend a seasonable Whitsuntide.

During the three days, there are a race meeting, an athletic sports meeting for the Volunteers, lawn bowls league matches, a boxing evening and golf competitions. Outside of the competitions, the other golf courses will attract

their respective devotees. There is no public tennis but it can be taken for granted that many will spend their afternoons at the increasingly popular game. Bathing will also occupy many,

parts of the Colony or going .The Steamboat Co. is putting on two excursions to Macao, viz., on

Sunday (as usual) and on Monday. Boats leave Hongkong at 9 a.m. and return from Macao at Repulse Bay has also prepared for the holiday spirit. To-morrow

night a Whitsuntide garnival wilk. be held, with late coaches for

RACE MEETING.

COMMENCES TO-MORROW AFTERNOON.

of course, the fifth extra race Happy Valley at 3.30 p.m. to-

morrow and will be continued at From one but not all points of view, the fourth race is the big for the opening, it will be necessary to allow upwards of half an The Indians receive the East hour for the journey from by tram and proportionately less by motor or taxi. Altogether there are seven

THE PROGRAMME. First Day:-1, Chesham Handicap, B Class, six furlongs; 2, petition among themselves for the Ribblesdale Stakes, one mile catchweights, with allowances; 5, Novices race, once round, for non-

Second Day:-1, Park Plate, five furlongs; 2, Westenhanger Stakes, about 1 mile and 165 I understand that the Lawn yards, winners to carry penalties, to renew the series of interport Class, 11/4 miles; 5, Walmer Selling Plate, once round; 6, June Handicap, B Class, 11/4 miles; 7, Folkestone Stakes, one mile, for non-winners at this meeting.

VOLUNTEER SPORTS.

WHIT-MONDAY AT THE

VALLEY. On Whit-Monday, the Hongkong Volunteers will be holding their first corps athletic sports meeting, commencing 2 p.m., at the Hongkong Football Club

ground, Happy Valley. . There is an open event—a mile flat race—for which post entries will be received. Admission to the stand is 50 cents and teas are obtainable on the course.

For the purpose of the sports, the Corps has been divided into eight sections. Points will be awarded and the tally posted up for information.

With the increasing interest in the Corps it is to be hoped that as many as possible will turn up

BOXING.

serves and might have reversed a summer serversed presented as a server seal. As it was presented as a server seal as a serve

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INSURANCE RATES.

pleased to learn that the negotia- surprise to many of us. Although tions for the acquirement of the the return of Premium Income shares in the Yang-tsze Insurance does not show up as largely as in Association, Limited, have been previous years, this, as pointed successful and that at the present out by our Chairman, is mainly morning, before Mr. S. B. B. Mctime the Society is allotting shares due to the heavy re-insurance our Elderry, a Chinese named H. F. morning, Mrs. Leung Shi, of 36 in exchange for shares in the As- Directors have considered advis- Cheune was charged with evading Stanley Street, second floor, was sociation. There is no doubt that this combine of working interests will prove of material strength to both companies and it unquestionably places your Society among the great Insurances Companies of the world. would ask you to remember that the figures before you in the present balarice sheet do not include the "Yang-tsze" transaction as the amalgamation will be completed during the current year. ditional capital will be shown and working will show the Society to for the current month. On point- worse by using bad language. the funds of the Society will be be in a stronger position than it ing out that the ticket was anold " Asked by His Worship if the the Bill as it stood at present augmented by the transaction. a has ever been.

TRIBUTE TO MR. LAUDER:

in your appreciation of the able satisfaction the recommendation of and tactful manner in which our a transfer of £27,000 -from the General Manager, Mr. Lauder, Re-insurance Fund to the credit conducted these negotiations and of Sterling, Reserve, which I brought them to a successful sure is a sound policy.

Manager of the Yang-tsze Insurance Association, Limited, and who was for many years in the Society's employ, and in whom we have full confidence has been appointed Branch Manager of the Society at Shanghai and General Manager of the North China Insurance Company, Eimited. Mr. W. E. Smithe who was, until respector to the Society and its Board. utilized Companies. Mr. Smith "An examination of the Accounts" has had lengthy experience in the show a considerable reduction in Society's service and we are sure establishment charges, it is satisthis appointment will prove most factory to-know in these days Lonelleid to the Society's inter- of keen competition when econo-

Charsferred to the Yang-tsue In- saving as that shown has been and our old premises on the the same time that the Society's ground floor of the Union Build- organization throughout the world "China Mail" that they are in ing have been let on satisfactory is so thoroughly sound, and ready receipt of a cable from their Singa- he did not wish to press the case.

Considering the adverse conditions of trade 1 think you wilf agree that our present position reflects credit on the Society's staff duates. and will heartily approve our following the usual custom of voting a bonus of 15 per cents on salaries to the credit of those members holding Provident Fund Agreements.

You will have learnt with deep regret of the passing of our late pleasure of the successful negotiaand honourably associated with tion Ltd., and I should like, on their this Society and who played so behalf, to express our deep apconvey to Mrs. Ede and his family in which he conducted and brought proposition of Dr. G. H. Sanders, and disreputable-looking gipsies, The sincere sympathy of this Meet these negotiations to a successing in the real loss they have sus- ful issue, and in so doing not only

striking personality the charm of placed the Society in the proud which was felt by all who came in position of being ranked among contact with him. His admiration the great Insurance Companies of for Hongkong and faith in its future were boundless. He continually worked for the public weal and the Colony is the poorer for his death

Before concluding my remarks I would also like to express the deep regret your Directors feel at the death of Mr. A. R. Lowe who acted as our Auditor for a considerable number of years. Mr. Lowe's wise counsel and ability were of great assistance to us and the Colony has lost one of its most valued citizens.

. I have further to record with deep regret the death of Mr. John Prentice who at the time of his decease was the Chairman of The Yang-taze Insurance Association Limited. He was kindly, generous, and public spirited and his death has been keenly felt not only by his friends in Shanghai but by his many friends in this Colony also.

Since issuing the present Balance Sheet the Society has received telegraphic advice of the death, of Mr. Harry Maitland who was member of our London Committee. This news has been received with

great regret. I now propose the adoption of in the position it is. the Report and Accounts and when this has been seconded I shall be in expression of deep regret in the glad to answer to the best of my ability any questions you may wish

seconding said: We have all followed with close attention the able speech jus delivered. In the Pinancial State ment that has been placed before us I feel Shareholders have cause for congratulation, not only in that the figures show the Society. The adoption of the report and to be in a very strong position accounts having been carried, Mr. Society's progress is largely Holyonk and Mr. G. M. Young, dependent on general trade M.B. as directors Mr. R. A. our Directors, in addition to the was carried. cause and interim dividends. Meters, Lowe, Bingham and tion of \$750 cach on the proposition \$25 pote. The defence put forward intrivates the disease. Go to bed, because in 900 cases out of the for the years and 1023 24 are Manifest and Matter Linetess of the Allert Linetess of the able to

vidend of 5/- por share in respect of 1923, which I am sure is very welcome to Shareholders, particularly so, perhaps, during these hard times, and has, I think, You will. I am sure, have been come in the nature of a pleasant able in respect of our American payment of tramway fare. business, which it is satisfactory to Mr. J. H. Simmons, traffic in- cupying the lower floor. learn is anticipated will show the spector of the Tramway Company. tions will, I think, be appreciated afternoon of May 17. On asking by Sharedolders who will realise accused to show his ticket, he said in making herself objectionable by should provide that when the In our next balance sheet the ade ultimate result of last year's of the same colour as those issued nuisance, defendant made matters tenant.

Building Up Reserves.

You will no doubt join with us Shareholders will view with Sterling Reserve Fund, it Mr. M. G. Burnie, the General be noticed after transfer been effected, will amount to half the present paid upo capital of the Company, but at the same time it must not be overlooked that the Yangtsze Amalgamation is not shown in the Accounts. under review, and next year when, these figures come into the books the paid up capital will be increased accordingly. The wise policy of adding to our Sterling dently, in charge of our Shanghai Reserve will, I am sure; continue business has been appointed in- to have the consideration of our

mics in working expenses have Our office in Shanghai kasabeen, to be considered carefully, such a Association's Building effected, and to be assured at hoped for revival in trade even- | declaration of Dividends:-

most cordially endorse our Indragiris...... 5% to give the Society their personal support, and I think it is unnecessary forme to say that in so doing! they are also furthering their own interests.

Shareholders heard with ucl C. tions for the acquirement of shares Montague Ede, who was so long in the Yangtsze Assurance Associalarge a part in its development, preciation to our General Manager, am sure you will desire me to Mr. Lauder, for the able manner materially strengthened the posi-He was a man of strong and tion of both Companies but also

China Insurance Co. Mr. W. E. Smith who, we note The Chairman said: with interest, has been appointed ing as Inspector, is also well-known to 1923, likely to prove beneficial to the balance be appropriated

Society's interests. Shareholders will, I know, cordially endorse the bonus of 15 per cent on the salaries of those members of the staff holding Provident Fund Agreements, realising it is only by the loyal co-operation of everymember that the Society is

We also desire to join with you deaths of Mr. C. M. Ede our late General Manager, Mr. A. R. Lowe you will notice that Sterling Exlate Chairman of the Yangtsze 2/3% last year. Insurance Association and Mr. Harry Maitland our London Committee. These

be deplored. I have much pleasure in second- be put. ing the adoption of the Report and

able to recommend a bonus di- and Davis were to elected anditors loy Mr. V.R.V. Ribelio.

SAME COLOUR TRAMWAY TICKET FRAUD.

"SERIOUS OFFENCE."

"At the Central Magistracy this

Society an improved return. The stated in evidence that he boarded wisdom of a cautious policy under | car No. 34, proceeding east, near the present adverse trade condi- the Wing On Company on the that a large Premium Income does that he had a monthly ticket and throwing offensive, matter and owner did not pass on to the not necessarily mean a corres- later took out his purse in which water on the floor and staircase principal tenant the full 15 per pondingly large profit. Speaking was a ticket, only a part of which which dripped through the boards, cent. increase on the standard rent. as an old Director of the Society, was visible. On examination wit- causing inconvenience to his client the principal tenant should not after careful scrutiny of the ness found that the ticket was one and damaging her clothing. On have power to make the full Accounts, I am persuaded that the issued for January 1923 and was being requested to abate the increase in respect of the subone, accused claimed to have left matter could not be settled out intended making a tenant give a the ticket for May at home. Wit- of court, Mr. Turner said that the month's notice if he wished to ness asked him to pay the fare, but summons was taken out on the clear when the increase was made small change and later admitted he said that "if she was brought to creased rates would have to be had no money. Accused then left | Court she would not care a damn." | paid. the car, but he was later traced by On learning that the case was the address given in the 'applica- likely to occupy some time, His' tion for monthly ticket. Witness Worship adjourned it until Friday added that the last time accused afternoon, and in doing so said Committee of the Council; March last year.

'Accused denied that he told the Court.' witness that he had left his ticket at home and admitted that he did not have one. He said that on the that is a part of the charge. day in question he changed his" clothing and his wife inadvertently put into his pocket an empty purse.

His Worship said that it was clear to him that accused was guilty. His offence was a serious one, but under the Tramway Ordinance there was provision for impose the maximum of \$10;

RUBBER.

DECLARATION OF DIVIDENDS.

Messrs, Carroll Bros., advise the to take advantage of opportunities | pore friends advising that Rubber | and the defendant was discharged which will present themselves for is now quoted at \$1.01 2 per lb. with a caution. extending our business when the They also advise the following Changkat Serdans...... 5% Interim.

BURIED ALIVE.

landslide at North Point yesterday | men condemned, including Friedafternoon. The bodies were re- mann and the Sacristan of the covered later by removing pleces | Cathedral, Zadgorsky, for partiof rock weighing several tons.

at a remuneration of \$2,000 on the seconded by J. M. Alves.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO., LTD.

At the annual meeting this morning of the China Fire I should also like to take this Insurance Company, Ltd., which opportunity, on behalf of Share- followed that of the Union holders, in expressing our apprecia- Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd. tion of the appointment of Mr. the Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak Lauder as General Manager of the (Chairman) presided, and those many "years in the Society's Paul Lauder (General Manager), will continue. employ is well-known to most of Messrs:-L. F. Townend, J. A. us, and we extend our welcome to Worswick, J. W. Alabaster, A.E.S. and F. H. Farne.

Account for the year shows a balance us, and we hear with much satis- \$923.301.01 to be dealt with. Your faction that his appointm nt is Directors recommend that this

follows :--Dividend of \$700 and Bonus of \$3.00 per share on 20,000 shares\$200,000.00

To carry forward to Underwriting Sus-

pense Account \$723,301.01

our late Auditor, Mr. John Prentice change this year is 2/33/4 as against

of Account is \$1,026,256.97. gentlemen were all of them well. Report and Statement as presented year, had no further interest in known to us and personal friends be adopted and when this has been the Epsom classic this year. From of many, and their deaths are to seconded I shall be pleased to the Home mail yesterday it ap-

> adopted after Mr. G. S. Archbutt placed. had seconded.

Mr. D. O. Russell, retiring direcin spite of the general world G. H. Cameron proposed the tors, were re-elected on the prodepression, and as remarked the re-election of the Hon. Mr. P. H. position of Mr. B. M. C. de Canha, seconded by Mr. F. H. Parne. prosperity, but furthermore, that Dastut seconded and the motion thewantd Lipstead and Davis were Chellaram and Ploneer Silk Stores re-elected auditors at a remutera, and with possession of a forged

DIRTY LINEN."

NEIGHBOURS' SQUABLE SUMMONS.

"DIDN'T CARE A DAMN,"

Before Mr. S. B. B. McElderry. at the Contral Magistracy this summoned by Mrs. Wan Shi oc-

Mr. L. D. Turner conducted

F. Whitehouse defended. said that the defendant persisted he asked that the Ordinance

held a monthly ticket was in that he would very much like to see the dispute settled out of Mr. Turner: The linen has been

washed in dirty water already, and

SERVANT'S ESCAPE.

LEAVING WITHOUT NOTICE

At the Kowloon Magistracy this. a fine only and His Worship would morning, Mr. L. Maurin, manager Chinese colleague concurs in these of the Compagnie Optorg, charged views. a female Annamite servant for leaving his service without notice. defendant was confined in a room | would be impracticable, said the

for attempting to get away to Attorney-General in reply. He Tonkin without permission but emphasised his agreement that it escaped from her temporary prison | could not be too widely known by means of a key which fitted the that the amending Bill affected

ASSASSINS HANGED.

(Reuter's Service.)

SOFIA, May 28. Ghastly scenes marked the Two coolies were buried in a public execution of three of the cipation in the Cathedral outrage.

> who were each "hired for a fiver." acted as executioners. They carried the men in turn to a table in the presence of their fellow condemneds, where each was covered with a white mask and a noose placed around his neck, whereafter the table was cast aside. gipsies gave each body two sharp tugs to complete the task.

No more theatrical shows by Society in the place of the late Mr. also present were: The Hon. Mr. actresses will be allowed in local A. O. Lang, Mr. J. A. Plummer, Chinese teahouses as from to-day, Mr. C. M. G. Burnie, the General Mr. D. O. Russell and Mr. reports. the vernacular papers. Manager of the Yangtsze and for T. G. Weall. (Directors) Mr. But the sing-song entertainments

A Chinese was taken to the him on again being associated Alves, M. A. R. Souza, V. L. dos Government Civil Hospital yesterwith the Union as Branch Manager Remedios, V. R. V. Ribeiro, G. S. day after an attempt made to of the Society in Shanghai and Archbutt, E. A. Lees, A. C. Hay, commit suicide by hanging on General Manager of the North B. M. C. da Cunha, W. F. Gardner board the s.s. "Tai Lee" lying at the Hau Tak wharf.

> As will be seen from an adver- ly I can heartily sympathise with Captain Willox. tisement elsewhere, Whit Monday, the object the honourable member insurance offices will be closed for whether the actual result of insert- took him back to Pakkai. the transaction of public business, ing the words would be anything

Peshawar, May 28.—The first batch-of 60 Khost rebels, mainly Gilazis, including their leader. known as the Lame Mullah, who was confined at Kabul as a hostage, have been shot at Kabul by order of the Amir. The measure is re-Turning to the Balance Sheet garded as a most drastic one, even

According to a Home paper The balance at credit of the 1924 | quoted by the "China Mail," It was stated that with Grandpre's scrat-I now move that the Directors' ching, Lord Derby, who won last. answer any questions that may pears that Lord Derby was ropresented by Conquistador, rid-The report and accounts were den by T. Weston, who was un-

tenesd a young Chinese woman to thing it decides pay a fine of \$400, or four months' | --imprisonment in default for utter-Mesers Lowe, bingham and Mate ing forged \$100 bunk potes at the

SUB-TENANTS' RIGHTS

MR. CHOW SHOUSON ON FURTHER PROTECTION

PASSING ON INCREASES.

H, E THE GOVERNOR AND HUMAN NATURE.

Suggestions for the addition of two provisos to the Rents Ordinance was made at its second reading at the Legislative Council the complainant's case, and Mr. | meeting yesterday afternoon.

. Mr. Chow Shou-son received Outlining his case, Mr. Turner support from other members when

. Mr. Alabaster's point was "that accused quibbled about having no invitation of the defendant who I and during the currency the in-

> The drafting in legal terms of the provisos advocated by the Hon, members was left to the Law In making his point Mr. Chow Souson said: I also think that it cannot be too widely made known that the Bill effects the principal tenant in his relation to his subtenants, as well as the landlord in his relation to him, and that therefore, before increasing the rent, he

must give his sub-tenants two weeks' notice and state in such notice the standard rent, and also the percentage by which he proposes to increase such standard rent. I am glad to say that my

The Government had considered the matter and had come to the It transpired in evidence that conclusion that such provision the principal tenant in his relation The complainant-later said that to the sub-tenant as well as it affected the landlord in relation to the principal tenant. "I think that if we put in any such proviso as that suggested, however," stated. the Attorney-General, "it would probably cause a good deal of confusion, because the principal tenant might not unjustly claim the right to increase his rent up to 15 per cent, and might find himself in a difficulty. Further, Sir, there is the point that if you introduce into the Bill a proviso such as the Hon. Senior Chinese Member. suggests there would be these obvious difficulties; namely, that The place of execution was the sub-tenant of a domestic tenesecret, but it leaked out and forty ment would not be aware probably thousand people quickly assem- in any case whether his particular bled. Three brown, barefooted lessor, the principal tenant, had, or had not, had his rent increased to by the "China Mail's" Pakkai the full amount of 15 per cent. Sir, am not in favour and the Government is not in favour of the

> Chinese member being incorporated in this Bill. Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak. Sir in discussing the amendment of my hon. friend, in the preliminary notice which I had of this, I did not quite realise the full import of all it really meant. Personally I must say that I am inclined to agree with the representation he has made that a lessor, be he the principal tenant or a lessor under the principal tenant, has no equity or right to increase his rental charge to a sub-tenant if his own principal rent is not creased by the owner himself. That view I did not quite realise before. That is what is being claimed and I agree with the remarks of the hon, senior Chinese

H. E. The Governor: Personal-

member.

suggestion put forward by the

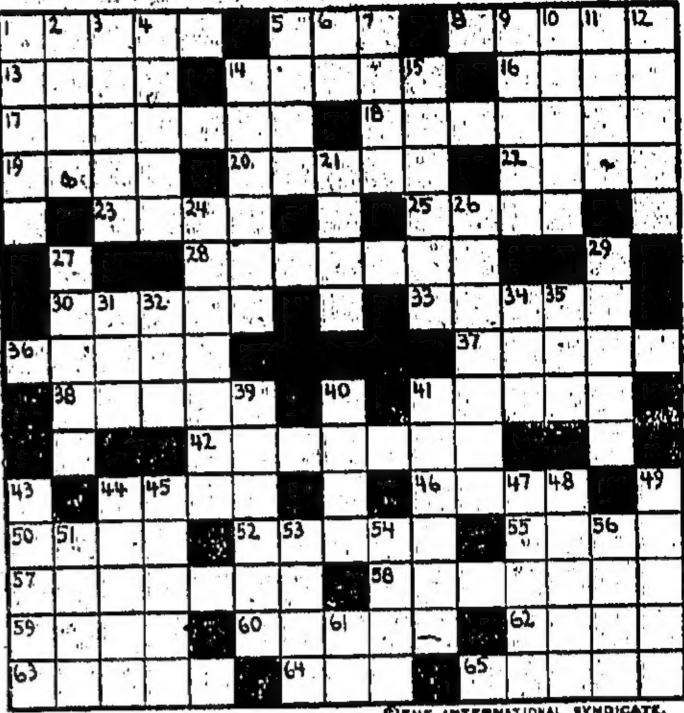
at all. . I think that it is almost impossible to expect sub-tenants to know whether the principal there is a further point. I am glad | Committee:

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CHINA MAIL'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(These cross-word puzzles have been made by experts but our readers are warned to watch out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)



SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES Start out by filling in the words of which you feel reasonably: sure. These will give you a clue to other words crossing them, and they in turn to still others. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares, and running either horizontally or vertically or both.

-To shatter " 1-Arrangement of the hair 2-Milltary assistant 5-The point 3-At no time, 8-Auctions 4-Fertilizer 13-Place; stead 6-Pronoun 14-Farm animal 6-Latin for "that is" (abbr. 16-To cover with stones 7-Mexican laborer 17-To make progress .. . 9-At good speed 18--Fundamental 10-Thoroughfares 19-Perceived 11—Sinful 20-Carniverous quadruped 12-Religious denominations 22-Prehistoria weapon 14-Plan 23-Cord 5-Jokes. 25-Negative votes 28-Goes aboard

HORIZONTAL

33-Fachion

36-Leaf of paim-

42-Not either one

44-Minute Insect

55-To the inside of.

58-A workshop "

59-Brought forth

60-Thoroughfares

62-Glear, of troop

G3-To scoff

64-A coroal

57-in a wild state . . .

37-Rejuctant

38-Unqualified

46-Serpents

50-Regted

52-Shapes

21-A, checsa 24-Hanging: loosely 30-Angle-Saxon title 26-Attendants to horses 27-To play a stringed instrument noislly ... 29-Device for measuring. 31-Burning 41-Receiver of stolen goods

32--- Insect 34-At that place 35-Resinous, substance 39-A garment 40-Great actor 1-Banquets 43-Heavy sticks

44-Priest's headwear 5-Senselcas 4?-Gulde 48-To shoot from ambush 49—Wind Instruments 51-In a little while 53-Scent 54...Created 56-To abound

C5-Resists (The solution of the above cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's "China Mail" along with a new cross-word puzzle.)

61-Always

LUCKY ESCAPE.

T. C. MAN AND BANDIT GANG.

As reported earlier in the week correspondent, Mr. Rasmussen, of the A. P. C. up-country staff, was captured by pirates while Kamehuk was sacked Mr. Rasmussen has since been released and has returned to Pakkai. Mrs. Rasmussen was with him at the time the A.P.C. motor launch fell bandit hands but, as stated, she

was released almost immediately Yesterday's "Canton Gazette reports that a hundred houses at Kamchak were burned down when the handits pillaged the town.

It appears that Mr. and Mrs. Rasmuseen were hailed by a sampan which they followed ashore when the men revealed their true intentions. One robber tried to take Mrs. Rasmussen's wedding ring but was made to return it.

The No. 2 of the gang actually! told Mr. Rasmussen that he was formerly the boatswain of the the Chinese Eastern Railway owing pirated Kongmoon steamer Tailed to the Chinese President of the and that it was he who murdered Board of Railway Directors cau-

June I, and King's Birthday, June has in view, but I am constrained treated and after spending a night railway employees, who were 3, are declared holidays and notice to say that I very much doubt with the bandits was allowed to neither Chinese nor Soviet citizens, is given that all fire and marine | whether it is practicable, and return to the motor launch which | the "Izvestia" suggests that behind

> The Hon. Mr Chow Sou-son Soviet, is Chang Tso-lin's hostility tenant has been affected by the expressed himself as desirous of to the Soviet whom it suspects of increase. I think you will find pressing the proviso and the draft- alleged support of Feng and the that the law would remain to a of this and Mr. Alabaster's, as Knomintung and also incitements large extent a dead letter. But stated above, was left to the Law of foreign powers.

to hear that the hon, senior Chinese In making his point Mr. Alabaster striving to drive out the Soviet member considers there are land said it seemed to him that as the from Manchuria, particularly from lords who out of generosity or Clause was now drafted a tenant the Chinese Eastern Railway. for other reasons will not increase who did not wish to pay any higher Britain also has lately favourably the standard rent; but, I take rent was not given the option of changed her treatment of Change another view of human nature. leaving the premises. He could Tso-lin. The real objection to the amend give notice to quit but would his If Chang were against Feng and ment, I think, is the overloading of rent during the period of notice the Kuomintang the Chili forces, the ordinance. My main desire the on the original or the higher would again be regrouping. He has been to keep the ordinance basis? The language of the clause chooses to forget that he has the as clear as possible and to refrain was at present obscure, and it Soviet in his rear. The worse for from overloading it with details seemed to him that there ought to be him. "Izvestia" recommends the all of which are liable to produce some words in the ordinance entit- Japanese Government to use the suits to Court which may be to the ling the tenant, if he objected to the influence of its Marchurian agents advantage of any other section of higher rent, to leave on giving with a view to negotiations for the the community. If the hon, mem- proper notice and not be required restoration of mormal Russo-The Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak and At the Central Magistracy ber presses the proviso, I will leave to pay more than the original rent Japanese relations. yesterday, Mr. H. R. Butters son- it to the Council and accept any during the curroucy of that notice. The Attorney-General said the hop, and learned member had i mentioned the point to him a few days ago, but he was unable to see that there was eny real necessity very painful. Every movement to make the amendment suggestion

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION. SAHE LE RAND CAKE HEAT USER PRIMROSE RANGAMULETICLUG FRESH RY YEARS SUIDE ON SCENT LED REPOSE LEA A PANTRILES WE VASE DISC HALE EYES CE OVEN ENTRY - SHEET

RAILWAY DISPUTE.

(Reuter's Service.)

MOSCOW, May 28. Commenting on the conflict over celling the order of the general Mr. Rasmussen was not ill- manager, Mr. Ivanov, dismissing the activity of the Manchurian administration violating the interests of the railway as well as general political interests of the

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	PARTY CARRY LINES BY SALES IN A	人员

Like Singapore, both Penang I Kuala Lumpur have been suffering a heat wave lately.

newspapers for a verger, I did not get a single reply from an unemployed man," said the Rev. H F. Barif, Vicar of St. Chads, Derby. I had a number of applications from men already in jobs, but none from men out of work."

A now arrivel to Sandakan reported in the shape of a gliost which is said to have been seen few nights ago by the occupier of a bungalow at the East end of Sandakan. No details of its shape. size or personal appearance, are available.

Volunteer Orders state that Members of the Sergeants' Mess Headquarters the balance will be at home to their friends \$848.21. on the King's Birthday from 11.45 a.m. to 1 p.m.

It is proposed to start a Car Company. Only those who are able to provide their own motor cycles or motor cycles and trained as a signalling section but the members will have to conform

Elders from Shing Mun District (Kowloon) visited North Borneo Government with a view of good farming class. They do not think the prospects justify them moving their homes to that coun-This information is contained for Chinese Affairs who also states that a further report on the question, prepared by Mr. Lo Shun-wing, has been sent to the Borneo Government.

National Savings Certificates sold to date-722,859,226.

A blank roturn of notifiable Although I advertised in two diseases was the order for the 24 hours ended Wednesday.

> A Ministry of Health report states that £8,000,000 a year, is spent in England and Wales on collection and disposal of refuse and £4,000,000. on street cleans-

> If the French would give up making 75mm. guns and buy drain pipes from Paisley, they would be a much more formidable nation than they are at present.-Captain W. E. Elliott, M.P.

The recent Fair organised by Engineer Company rehearsals for the Malayan Girl Guides in Kuala labour, the King's Birthday Parade will Lumpur yielded a nott profit of be held at Headquarters at 5.30 \$1.130,95, of which Selangor takes p.m. to-day and Tuesday next. \$282,74 (25 per cent) and Malayan

In a certain Midlands city diversion of hundreds of business season. men, and there are cafés where tion with the H.V.D.C. Armoured practically every table is occupied

A few additional details are side-cars will be eligible to join. available from Shafighai regard-This section will be primarily ing the slight collision between the s.s. Fausang and the Hsinchang. Neither side suffered any to the ordinary training routine material damage through colliding of the Corps as regards efficiency. about six miles off North East promontory. 😘 😘

The greatest function of itskind Borneo at the request of the North ever held in any part of the world. will be the banquet as Olympia on to the encouragement of emigration August 8, given by the United to North Homeo of Chinese families Grand Lodge of England in con-

Quack and Duck were the names of two litigants at Kingston County Court.

"I both saw and heard the obtuse language the man used."-Witness at Mansfield (Notts) Police Court.

A Welsh weekly advertises in a current issue "for a boy straight from school to be trained as rework. Only boys who want to make their mark need apply."

"Work, the very word makes me shiver!" exclaimed Thomas Ignatius Monk, when charged at Prescot with loitering with intent. Sentence: "Three months' hard

Eleven new bird sanctuarles have been established in Saskatchewan by the Federal Parks Branch. These sanctuaries are established for the protection of dominoes form the lunch-hour game birds during the breeding

> More than 250,000 Canadians and Americans will travel to Europe this year, breaking the record of 245.592 set in 1913, the heaviest year in the history of eastbound trans-Atlantic transportation, according to estimates by local steamship officials. Travel figures for other years showed 204,346 in 1921, 197,569 in 1923 and 204,227 in 1924.

"There will be no plush seats in Heaven, and some of us will be lucky if we get any at all," the Rev. H. C. Robins, vicar of St. nection with the Million Memorial Edwards, Romford, told members Fund. The Duke of Connaught of his church council. He was will preside, and 8,000 diners will replying to a complaint that be present. Apart from the actual cushions had been removed from in the annual report of the Secret- question of food, some 50,000 plates some of the pews. The cushions and dishes will be needed, to were dilapidated, said the vicar; gether with 24,000 glasses, and and he hoped they would not be 100,000 pieces of cutlery. All the replaced. He would like to see all china and glass will be of similar cushions done away with in church.

the new So quietly and smoothly does the New V-63 operate that owners say they are scarcely aware that there is a motor beneath the hood. HONGKONG HOTEL GARAGE. SOLE AGENTS: THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI HOTELS, LTD.

THE HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK Co., Ltd.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Queen's Building, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 2nd day of June, 1925, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, when the subjoined Resolutions which were passed as Extraordinary Resolutions at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 18th day of May, 1925, will be proposed for confirmation as Special Resolutions,

(1) That-the Articles-of Association of the Company be altered in manner following. that is to say by the deletion of Article 17 and by the substitution therefor of the following article, namely:---

"17. So long as the issued "capital of the Company "shall not exceed \$6,000,000 " no member shall be enti-"tled to be registered as the "holder of more than 8,000 "shares of the Company. "Should the issued capital "of the Company be increas-"ed beyond \$6,000,000 the "number of shares in re-"spect of which a member "shall be entitled to be re-"gistered shall be increased "proportionately, but no "member shall be entitled to "be registered in respect of "a fraction of a share."

(2) That the authorised Capital of the Company (which is now \$3,000,000 consisting of 60,000 shares of the nominal value of \$50 each the whole of which have been issued) be increased to \$10,000,000 by the creation of 140,000 additional shares of the nominal value of \$50 each ranking (subject as hereinafter mentioned) for dividend and in all other respects pari passu with the shares constituting the Company's present issued

That 60,000 of the said 140,000 new shares be offered in the first instance (in the proportion of one new share for every old share held by them respectively) to the members of the Company who on the 10th day of June, 1925, are registered in the Company's Share Register as the holders of the said 60,000 old shares at a premium of \$10 per share.

(4) That the aforesaid offer be made to members by notice specifying the number of new shares to which a member is entitled. That a member whose registered address is situate in the Far East or his nominee shall pay for such new shares accepted by two instalments, i.e., one instalment of \$80 per new share to be paid on or before the 15th day of with the Company's Bank- be registered. ors the first: instalment due Dated the 20th day of May, 1925. on such: new shares on or before the 15th day of July, 1000 1925, will be deemed to have declined! That a member

or his nominee shall pay for such new shares accepted by two instalments, i.e., one instalment of \$30 per new share to be paid on or before the 15th day of September, 1925, together with interest calculated at: the rate of 6 per cent. per annum on the total amount: then payable for the period from the 15th day of July, 1925, until the date of receipt of payment by the Company's Bankers and a: further instalment of \$30; per new share to be paid on or before the 15th day of December, 1925, together with interest calculated at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum on the total amount then payable for the period. from the 15th day of October, 1925, until the date of actual receipt of payment by the Company's Bankers and such member outside the Far East or his nominee who has not accepted and lodged with the Company's Bankers the first instalment. due on such new shares onor before the 15th day of September, 1925, together with interest as aforesaid will be deemed to have declined. The Directors shall have the right to reject any nominee.

situate outside the Far East

(5) That such of the said 60,000. new shares as shall be accepted by members both. in and outside the Far East shall vis-a-vis the said 60,000 old shares rank for dividend as from the 15th. day of July, 1925, to the extent of one half of the nominal value of such new shares and as from the 15th day of October, 1925, equally with the said 60,000 old.

(6) That any of the said 60,000 ... new shares which shall not be taken up by the Company's shareholders in manner aforesaid and the remaining . 80,000 unissued. new shares may be issued and disposed of in such manner at such time or times and upon such terms as to ranking for dividend and otherwise as the Company's Directors shall in: their absolute discretion.

July, 1925, and a further The TRANSFER BOOKS of the instalment of \$30 per new Company will be closed from share to be paid on or WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of before the 15th day of June, 1925, to WEDNESDAY, the October, 1925, and such 17th day of June, 1925, (both. member or his nominee who days inclusive) during which has not accepted and lodged period no transfer of shares can

> By Order of the Board of Directors, minutes

R.M. DYER, Shirt will

AND PERSONAL. SOCIAL

Miss O. M. Russell, of the appointment of Captain A celebration to mark the silver Matilda Hospital, returned from A. R. W. Woods, D. S. O. to wedding anniversary of Prince Home leave on the s.s. Malwa H.M.S. Diomede, in command, has and Princess Nashimoto is to take yesterday.

Mr. C. G. S. Mackie-were passen- Empress of Russia. He has been Nabeshima, brother of Princess gers on the s.s. Morea which in charge of Macs Cafeteria Nashimoto, and Marchioness arrived this morning.

Mrs. Langred, Maj. L. C. Trench tain kitchen arrangements in and Mr. A. H. Compton returned connection with the Hotel there. to the Colony by the s.g. Morea from the north.

personally received nearly 100,000 Jitsugyo Doshikai, a plan is being President Taft. Mr. Wilson persons since he-became President | contemplated to establish an arrived in Japan on September 24 of the United States in August, With more than 90,000 of them he has shaken hands.

of Capt. Hugh Fitzherbert Osaka. Bloxham, Assistant Superintendent of Prisons, only son of the late Mr. F. Bloxham and Mrs. Bloxham of Andover, Hants, to Audrey, daughter of the late Mr. R. Jones, and Mrs. Jones, Manchester.

Members of the Legislative Council stood in their places yesterday's meeting to signify their assent to an expression of sympathy to the widow and family of the late Mr. Montague Ede. H.E. the Governor (Sir R. E. Stubbs) eulogised Mr. Ede's service on the Council and to the Colony and the Mr. P. H. Holyoak and the Hon. Mr. Chow Shon-son also

The Canadian Association of Shanghai, at a meeting held on elephant. This, it is stated, is the May 19, voted unanimously to affiliate the organisation with the Association of Canadian Clubs in Canada, a move which is expected to broaden the scope of the Cosgrove, Canadian Trade Commissioner in Shanghai addressed the meeting on Canada's position big house near Hamburg. in world affairs, calling attention to the fact that Canada is the second largest per capita manufacturing country in the world hama, arrived at Yokohama a few the patient's room on such topics to-day. According to Col. days ago and is staying at the as the latest fashion in jumpers Cosgrove the ratio of manufac- Bluff Hotel until the church and millioury. tured goods to total exports is 56 bungalow has been vacated by the Don't think you are scrubbing a per cent. The following officers Yokohama International School, floor when you are washing a for the coming year were elected. The Rev. Mr. Hodges took up his patient. Honorary president, Col duties from May I in succession to Don't bave a creaking aboe; or, Cosgrove; president; Dr. E. W. Wallace: vice-president, Mr. J. J. plane to return to England in a Rev. Mr. It

there was a climer and care to

been published.

where he has been popular with Nabeshima will be observed also staff and clientelle alike. He in October, it is reported. H. E. Major General Luard and goes to Peking to supervise cer-

Chiyoko Muto, wife of Mr. Sanji back woman suffrage. organization is to be known as the being transferred to Kobe. Fuji Doshi Club. The inaugura-The engagement is announced tion ceremony will take place in

> Miss^o Charlotte Forest, president of Kobe College, sailed for Tientsin on May 6 on the steamer Hokuroi Maru. She recently recovered from an operation for appendicitis and her physician has prescribed four months' freedom from any executive responsibility. She expects to spend this period of recuperation with her sister, Mrs. William B. Pottus at Peking.

The income from £50,000 would go a very little way in maintaining a royal residence. Besides, the King has no leisure nowadays to go anywhere except to Balmoral and Sandringham. So Gwyrch' would have been an expensive and seldom-used white first legacy left to the King by a subject. Queen Victoria was made, a legatee on more than one occasion by devoted lieges. . The which enabled her to build her than women you are nurses.

The Rev. Cecil Hodges, the new it. chaplain of Christ Church, Yoko Don't talk to another nume in the Rev. Eustace M. Strong who worse still, two creaking shoes. W. V. Brydone-Jack honorary Hodges is a scholar of St. John's treasurer Mr. R. W. Burton and the following members of the Other College Ragby XV. He executive committee. Hav A. I. S. also played on the College Ragby XV. He previous and this E. M. Yokohans athlets cities for the Galleton Following the meeting decides support on the College Ragby XV. He previous and contains the college of the College Ragby XV. He previous for the college of the College Ragby XV. He previous for the college of the

place in October. A celebration of the 25th anniversary of the Mr. and Mrs. A. Cameron and Mons Ainal left to-day on the marriage of Marquis Chokuyei

Mr. H. R. Wilson of the Kobe staff of the International Banking Corporation has been trans-Under the leadership of Mrs. | ferred to the Shanghai branch of the same concern and will President Calvin Coolidge has Muto, who is president of the leave "Kobe on the steamer organization among women to of last year and was stationed in The Yokohama a short time before

> In these hard times the upkeep of another royal residence would be, a serious drain upon the King's purse. " This was probably one of the several reasons which led the King to "disclaim all interest?" under the 'will of Winifred, Countess of Dundonald. The late Lady Dundonald, who was the heiress of Robert Bamford-Hesketh, left Gwyrch Castle, in Denbighshire, to the King, with £50,000, hoping that his Majesty would make the castle "a permanent residence in Wales for the King of England and the Prince of Wales for the time

Some "Don'ts" for nurses were offered by Dr. George Steel-Perkins in a lecture to nurses at Central Hall, Westminster. They included:

Don't go near your patient smelling of smake, Unfortunately this is a necessary "don't" to warn you against nowadays.

Don't doze in an easy chair in a position in which you may snore." King's aunt, the Empress Don't chatter. All women are Frederick, was left a large for- born chatterers, therefore you start tune by the Duchess di Jalliara, handicapped. But you are more Don't say "dear" to any fomale

patient over 18. They don't like

Don't wear high-healed shoes.

ile impossible to will quietly in the con-

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OUR CABARET.

LAST NIGHT'S SPARKLING ENTERTAINMENT.

last might's audience proved discerning one. "It readily encored an interesting rendition of Grieg's Morning; after which it sat back and listened to what is known amking the piano talk. "Ma reginald Selleck is endowed wit almost uncarny power of dexterity -technique is the correct wordso far as a piano is concerned; but with it all there goes an artistry that ruses his performance to great lieights. He has also considerable comedy powers useful the same artistic way. Fortunate-"Our Cabaret" is not a conertist show. There is Mr. Charles Claimer with a very pleasing voice; and Jan Caryll and Delyse some superbydances. "Au Apache ricene, was bull offe of many Hems which stumped this happy couple as being in the forefront of their applession. Marriel Varna Madge Carter please mightily. the former gave the song which said to have energed London butchers " Fat more Fruit." Tho advice was not lost on the audience, and this song is certain to be hummed in the Colony during the next few chays. Frank Milino m comedium and as minic and he easily kept his audience forgetting time and place. The sketches given have a O. Henry-like ending -- mexpected - amusing Gertrude Clegg deserves a word for the extellent work she does a the piano. It might be expected yet another entertainment could not be any different from the many which have visited Hongkong, "Our Cabaret" is "somehow different. It is agreeably and tastefully mounted and the members of it are able to supply an entirely different programme each evening. This should be noted. The "China Mail" has no hesitarecommending Caliareta'

POPULAR BANDIT

DEATH SENTENCE IN THE U.S.

Gerald Chapman, described as "America's most "popular superbandit," was, after a remarkable trial, sentenced to die on the gallows at Hartford, Connecticut. After his historic coup-the robbery in New York of a post the same kind of trouble. office van containing £400,000 of securities-Chapman, a "amateur cracksman," lived in one of the most fashionable men, and the peculiar thing was sections of New York. He was that no one understood them or he was Handel's real "Harmonious known as the "Count of Gramercysquare," With a beautiful girl from the Middle West who was ignorant of his crimes, he lived in a fine house, kept an expensive motorcar, which was driven by one of his accomplices, and spent at the rate of £200 a day.

At intervals he journeyed, to different parts of the country and committed robberies. Among other acts of daring he held up an express train near Niagara Falls, ritling the mail coach of £15,000.

A detective-who is an excellent actor finally unmasked him. Posing as a safe blowerthe detective gained the complete confidence of Chapman's chauffeur. With a large force of police he raided the bandit's aristocratic residence, where they found securities worth £100,000 and an elaborate wardrobe | the better for it. consisting of more than 20 suits of clothes.

Chapman's thrilling escape subsequently from Atlanta jail, his recapture when wounded in Florida, and his second escape from a prison hospital have raised him to the front rank in the criminal world of the United

Finally he robbed a safe in New Britain, Connecticut, shot dead one of the policemen who surprised him, and again escaped, to be arrested six months later

THE WHITE SISTER."

ficent view of the volcano of Vesuving in actual eruption, fight in the desert with the Arabs

FAMINE RELIEF.

HOW THE MONEY

HOSPITAL REPORTS.

measures of minediate relief in conmeetion with the appeal issued by Tung Was Hospital for the relief of inhabitants of flooded areas in Kwongining. Nearly \$250,000 was allocated to the winter repair of embankments.

These figures and others more directly concerned with the operat ing of the Hospital are contained in the annual report of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs.

The total number of in-patients admitted during '1924 was '9,149 as compared with 10,142 in 1929 and 8,079 in 1922. Of these 4,871 or 52 per "cent, as against 51." cent, in 1923 elected to be treated by European methods. "

The out-putients numbered 197 in 736 as against 166,422 in 1923 and 48,140 or 24 per cent, as against 25 per cent. in 1923, Suropeum treatment.

performed was 366 as against 357 no real fear that so old-established in 1923. There were also, 187 eye a feature will really, die out. The operations performed as against 1113 amith is likely to adjust himself to

crease during 1924. In all 6,460 no longer play the same picturessationts were admitted (as against | que part in rural life. 4,039 he 1923) of whom 4,657 or

w Chinese methods. 🕝

JOKE FINDER.

TWO A DAY FROM A SECRETARY.

Addressing the London Scots Labour Club, where he was the guest of honour, Mr. Ramsay Mac-Donald referred to "many ups and downs of a queer kind in

life,?" and added: If you had been in Lossiemouth about 50 years.ago and had asked what was the general opinion of a certain nickum with a black head, and very often not much else, you would have found that he was regarded as being destined to be

I am not at all sure but that something like that has happened because there are certain experiences in life that are of nearly

All the jokes at the expense of Scotsmen, declared Mr. Mac-Donald, were invented by Scotssaw the humour in them except Blacksmith." The smithy at Three

I once employed a Parliamentary Secretary for the purpose of supplying me with two original jokes against Scotsmen every day of the week. He did it, and that is the reason why the Labour Government was so successful.

It was a good thing for Scotsmen to retain in this weary, world the memories, habits, gaicties; and dress of home. There was more fun and life in a little. Scotch village than anywhere else in the

If only we could get into touch with those glorious experiences those glorious evenings, and remember the great heroes of our youth - those great rollicking drunken heroes-we should be al

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVALS.

Per P. & O. s.s. "Malw " or May 28:- Miss C. N Gawald, M. L Gawald, Mr and Mrs Johnson, Lt-Col. and Mrs I. G. Tuke, Mr W. Harding, Miss A. G. Bennett, Lt. Com. Bindloss, MrR. P. Moodie, Mr A. G. Gordon, Mr H. L. Keen, Mr and Mrs J. H. Stewart, Lt. Com Greathed, Commdr., W. Fallowfield, Mr D. J. Lloyd, Mr A. H. Boyd, Mr I Salveson, Miss Eskin, Mr J. McClookie, Mrs F Rows, Mr W. G. Gull, Mr S. E. Firth, Mr W. V. Star, Mr.H. R. H. Prince George, Lt. F. E. Halsey LILLIAN GISH AT QUEEN'S Mr J. Lockwood, Mr P. Lagrange, Miss V. Rofe, Miss O. M. Russell, est rôle in "The White Sister," Creasey, Miss Clegg, Miss Delyse, which, opens at the Queen's Miss Carter, Mr W. Dallas, Mr W. Theatre to-morrow for a week's run: H. Findlay, Mr Woo Y. Kai, Father John Barrymore has acclaimed F. Lau, Mr Ung T. Lean, Mr B. R. And in 'The White Sister' she Mr Tslea Shaw, Mr T. H. Tatter has a picture that is incomparably sall, Mr Mc. Kuan Ting, Mr. C. the finest of the year. Nothing L. Vanderberg, Mr and Mrs W. equals the beauty, pathos, suc- Webb, Mr and Mrs P. A. Wright,

terricite amoing omedicines. It is made considered to be the first of the first considered amoin the new terricity and only for the one purpose of piece of blacken things in Fig. 1. The second of the second terricity and bowels for interest of the second terricity and bowels for interest of the second terricity and bowels for interest of the second terricity and the se

VILLAGE SMITHY.

FAMOUS SMITHS AND

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SMITHIES.

Is the village smithy doomed asks a writer in the "Observer" Sonte figures and facts presented in the report of an inquiry by the Kent Rural Community Council into the situation of village shithies in Kent, suggest that the question is not wholly a fanciful one, for the number of smithies in

that county has decreased by half in the last forty years, and the number of men employed shows and almost corresponding ore These ominous figures turn the mind to thoughts of the part which

the village smithy has played in chose manor house, the inn, the mill, the kills the plant. farms and the smithy-all these The number of surgical operations pivot rural life. Perhaps there is anered conditions as other crafts. The work of the Kwong Wa men have done, but with the adlospital continued to show an in- justment he and his workshop may

Everyone must have in mind 2 per cent, (as against 68 per cent. some particular smithy, which he in 1923 and 69 per cent. in 1922) envisages as a sort of ideal smithy came under European treatment, of childish dreads and rememwhile a 1,803 elected to be treated brances, the smithy of Longfellow's poem. There has recently been an attempt-not very convincingly authenticated-to iden- of the cellular system, he deduced tify a Kentish village smithy as that the cactus should be able to the one Longfellow had in mind give him useful information when he wrote. It does not seem which by analogy might be avail-

and Wales), a quite wonderful collection of verse written about particular towns, villages, and spots in this country, and though he included several of his own poems, he did not include "The Village Blacksmith," as he might have been expected to do had it pictured an actual place instead of an idealised one.

LONDON SMITHIES. But there are famous individual smithies. Probably the best-known and best-advertised smithy in all England is that at Cockington, reached by close, hot Devonshire lanes from Torquay. It has surely been more pictured than any other. Nearer to London there is the mithy of Edgware, for whose smith it is stoutly claimed—again on not very good evidence—that Mile Cross, too, is not likely to be forgotten, for did not Miss Mitford give it fame in "Our Village"? And it still remains much as it was in her day. I recall, too, that the smithy at East Dean, near Eastbourne, has upon its walls an oxyoke as a reminder of the use of

oxen in ploughing. It is curious how many smithies there are buried in London whose forges and anvils and ruddy glowing fires still mark where a one-time village has been swent into the maw of the ever-growing city. These city amithies are often at cross-roads, as where the Groydon and Mitchain Roads, fork at Streatham. But surely the most remarkable of London forges was that which, until a few years ago, was at work in the then ruised transept of St. Bartholomew the

ARTISTIC WORK The smith has been, to a large extent, an artist craftsman. Ir Sussex, Surrey, and Kent, and particularly in Sussex, where for centuries the iron industry, was settled. there are immunerable proofs of this. In farm houses, manor houses, and cottages are firebacks and household implements that testify to individual artistic ability, and in the churches there was door-fittings, screens, grilles, hinges, strapwork, escutcheons, locks, and the ornamental banding of church chests, and sometimes even tombstones, which bespeak the high artistic accomplishment of the mere village smith. Some of these pieces of work have lasted from Norman

PRICKLY PEAR.

POWER ALCOHOL FOR AUSTRALIA.

As is well known, prickly pear, a cactus, of the Oponia tribe, it one of the worst pests that Australia has to deal with, and hitherto it has not been dealt with, but left alone. In New South Wales and Queensland there are June 1.-N.Y.K. more than fifty million acres abandoned to the pest, and this acreage is increasing at the rate Fig. N.K.K. of one million acres per annum.

All efforts to eradicate the pear have failed, and the cost of national effort for this purpose May 30,--A.Y.K. would be enormous, certainly not less than £250,000,000, and possibly without result. It has been English social and village life for found impossible to destroy the many centuries. It is impossible pear by unrooting, and the only to think of an English village known method is by means of a without thinking of its smithy, for | parasite which lives on the outit is an invariable and necessary side of the pear, and if it can be constituent of a village com- introduced into the cellular munity. The church, the hall or formation below the tough skin, May 30 .- B. F.

It has been known for long July 1.-B.F. that power alcohol could be distilled from the pear, but the cost of cutting, crushing, and distilling has been estimated to be so enormous that the return of one and a half gallons per ton would! be quite incommensurate with the

Five years ago Dr. W. M. Sinclair commenced investiga- July 9,-P. & O. tions into the problem of the Aug. 6.-P. & O. prickly pear, in connection with research that he was conducting June 1.-U.S.S.B. into the problem of cancer. Assuming that cancer is a disease likely identification, for the able for cancer research. He has poet compiled an anthology of during the past five years obtain- Sept. 4.- E. A A. Songs about Places" (in England | ed a great deal of information, but so far it throws no light on May M. J.C.J.L. the problem of cancer.

On the other hand, he appears Jone 1.-B. & S. to have solved the prickly pear problem. He has resolved the July 10 .- R. & A. difficulty of getting the parasite inside the skin: he has discovered method of distilling power alcohol from the crushed pear to sept. 11 .- E. & A. give a yield of 14 gallons to the ton, and thus it will be possible Oct. for him and his associates not only to clear the enormous acreage now abandoned and free it for migrants, but to provide power alcohol for Australia from illimitable local sources.

One really interesting and amusing feature of the business is that there are parts of Australia where, to ensure economy of cost, prickly pear will have to be July 1.-B.F. cultivated for the production of power alcohol.

The scheme has received the benediction of the Queensland Government, and will received those of both the New South Wales and Federal Governments.

X.-Seven years ago I arrived in this town with only one Oct. 17.-B.F. shilling; but that shilling gave me my start. Y.-You must have invested it very profitably.

X-I did. I telegraphed home war. S.-B. F. for money.

There is other fine work by this Bedfordshire blacksmith in certain Bedfordshire churches.

A FOLK EPITAPH. Nothing shows more certainly how deeply rooted is the place of the smithy in English life than the July 7 .- W.Y. . Za-nohi. Maru. lore which has gathered round the calling of the smith. There is, for instance, an epitaph to be found Juon 5.-N.Y.R. Taknok & Marn in scores of English churchyards to bygone smiths which runs :--

My sledge and hammer lie reclin'd My bellows, too have lost their wind: My fire's extinct, my forge | May 10. - B. F.

And in the dust my vice is laid; My coal is spent, my iron gone, The nails are driven, my work is

Because this appears at Folpham near Bognor, where Hayley lived | Aug. 10 .- N.Y.K. it has been attributed to that poet. but there is every reason to regard Bept 7. - M.Y.K. Mr W. Pak Kum, Mrs J. M. Brundan days; and they are of so fine a serior folk epitaph. There is, Mr W. Pak Kum, Mrs J. M. Brundan days; and they are of so fine a serior folk epitaph. There is, Mr W. Pak Kum, Mrs J. M. Brundan days; and they are of so fine a serior folk epitaph. There is, Mr Caryll, Mr Sellick, Mr ling and apprenticeship in furthermore, the famous story of Nov. 2.—M.Y.K. working. This fine iron-work may the horse sold by a farmer for the N.Y.K. be well seen on the borders of one farthing for the first nail in London in the door of the old the horse's shoes, the amount to Dec 14. N.Y.K. church at Merion. There was, be doubled for each succeeding Jan. 11. W.Y.R. Miss Gish as the one actress who Leydig, Mr S. A. Marican, Mr S. too, some sort of a communal mail, which works out at an in-Carries the supreme tradition of M. Sheriff, Mrs. E. J. Nicholls, Miss or factory production, for in credible sum. The National Master

Bernhardt and Duse to the screen. E. Nicholls, Miss E. E. Nicholls, the days of the Scotch Famers and Blacksmiths Association. June 3.—M. M.

And in The World State wars the English armies drew tion has just held an annual meeting their supplies of horse shoes and at which a well-known lawyer is nails from the Horsham district, said to have stated that this little and it is perhaps in memory of catch is based on a recorded law pense and speciacular magnificance of F. Marion Crawford's story of love and sacrifice.

In "The White Sister" seven months were spent amid the beautiful backgrounds of Italy and northern Africa in photographing the scelles which include a magnificant of the scelles which it is that

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND PASSENGERS.

VESSELS DUE. FROM SWATOW 1 - N. K. K. FROM BANGKOK. 5,--K. A. FROM SHANGHAL.

Colontta Harn Washington Marn Haketa Marm Sungeben Mars 4 19.-N.Y.K Tanha Maru FROM CALCUITA. June 19.-B. L. Tlawa Calcutta Maru Onka Maru

31.—B. I. June 1.-N.Y.K. Haruns Maru 1.—B. I. Empress of A'lin' 3. - O.P.B. Wasnington Maru Bakata Maru 16 .- N.Y. K. Kamo Maru Aki Maru Tanba Maru PROM SINGLPORE. Takestas.

Iuno 26 .- P. & O. Kurypylva. Antiloch us 8.-B. F. Persons. 19.-B. F. Ampenor Antenor 10. -B. F. Poloue 31.-B.F. Protesilans Toucer 16. -B. F. Rumeaus FROM

June 8.-N.Y.K. Sado Maru Sardinia. FROM MANILA.

1.-A.O.L. Pres. Madison. 3.-U.P.S. 4.-P. M. Empress of A'lin. Pros. Wilson. 5.-H. & A. Artiuca 13.-A.O.L. Pres. Jackson I as McKinley.

Pres. Jofferson. Pres. Grant FROM SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. Changsha.

Aki Maru St. Albana Michima Maru Aki Maru 21.-W.Y.K. Aug. 7.-B. L. Tanda. Tango Maru Arafura. Aki Maru St. Albans. Mishima Mara Tango Mai u.

VANCOUVER, ETC FROM SEATTLE June 3 .- C.P.A. Empress of Alia. 6.-A.O.L. Pres. Jackson. 10.—B. F. 12.-N.Y.K. Ive Maru 17 - 4.O.L. Pros. Mc Kinley. 19,--A.D.L. Pres. Jefferson Philogtotor Ebidgooks, Marn. Pres. Grant

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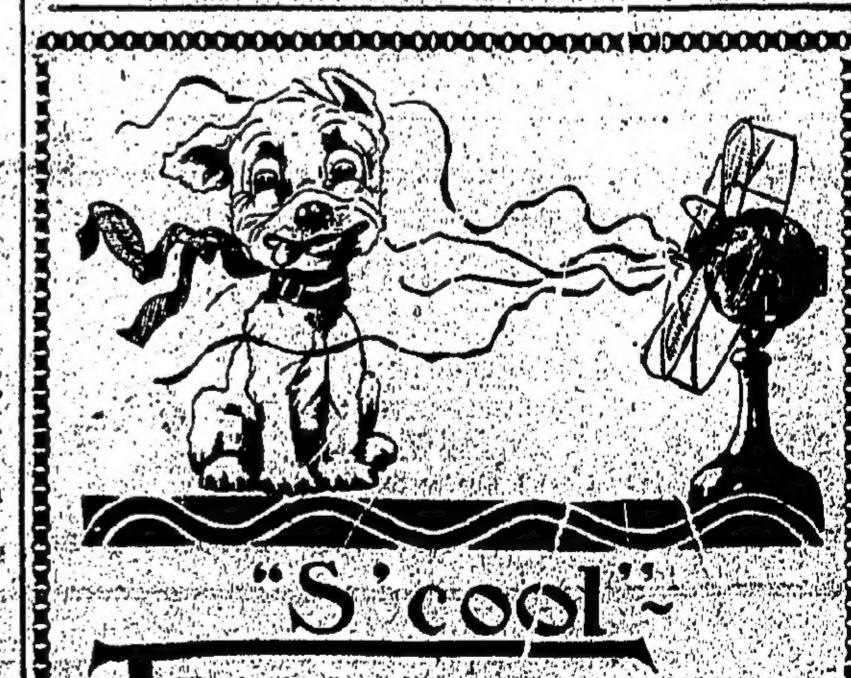
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Dr. Augusta Stowe Gullen, of Toronto, will represent that city at the sixth quinquennial convention, of the International Council of Women. The first woman in Canada to take a medical degree from Victoria University, Dr. Gullen was formerly president of the National Suffrage Association of Canada.



Leopold, and who has never had a client hanged, was snapped on an sixty-eighth birthday as he made his impassioned plea to a Chicago jury for the life of George W. Munding. riding master, who murdered Mrs. Julia Abb Douglas. Munding was sentenced to 22 years in prison.



Dr. Frederick Cook (left), who gained fame as the self-called, "discoverer" of the North Pole, is shown being transferred from the county jail at Fort Worth, Texas, to the Federal prison at Delverworth. Kansas, to serve a long term following his conviction of fraudulent usage of the mails in an oil scheme.



Mrs. Richard Bennett, once the benutiful Ardienne Morrison; has been granted disorce from her nated



Scores of persons were left without their homes and many bridges and houses were destroyed when the dam of the Ford Motor Company, near Detroit, Michigan, broke, causing the Huron River to overflow its banks, inundating the towns of Flat Rock and South Rockwood. The waters of the dam receded 22 feet, causing the river to rise to a depth of ten feet in less than an hour.



" Colonel John Coolidge, father of President Coolidge, is going to hospital for kidney trouble.



This remarkable mosaic in tiles, in the form of a shield, bearing. the Washington cont. of arms and an excellent likeness of George Washington at an early period of the Revolution, was made for one of a group of buildings surrounding the Washington Memorial Chapel at Valley Forge, by Nicola Ascenzo.



General | hazproff has been designated by King Boris as military dietator of Bulgaria during the present emergency. He is crushing dissturbances by Communists, has suppressed Agrarian party newspapers and imposed a strict news censorship.

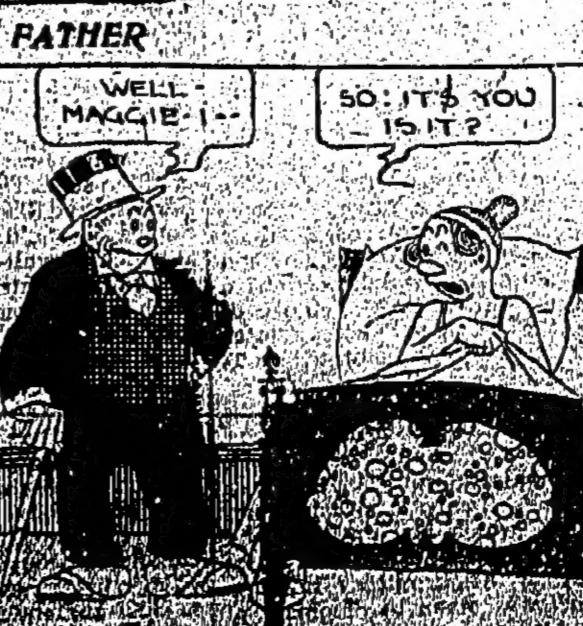


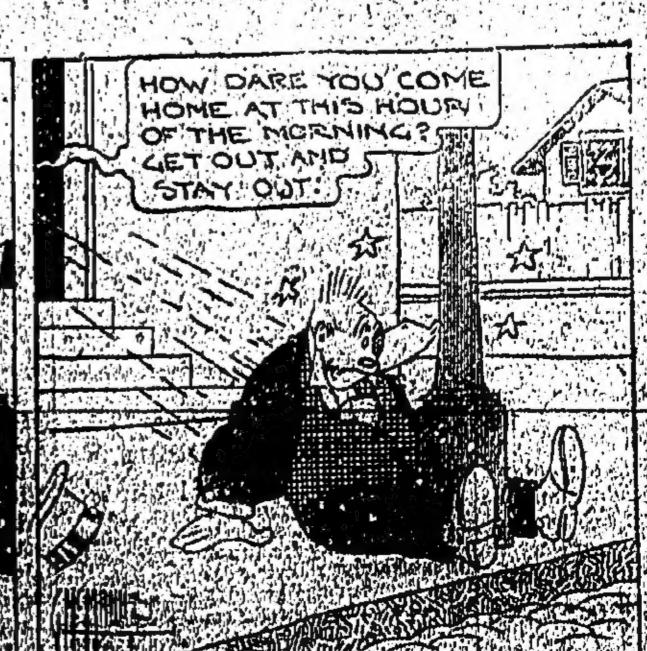
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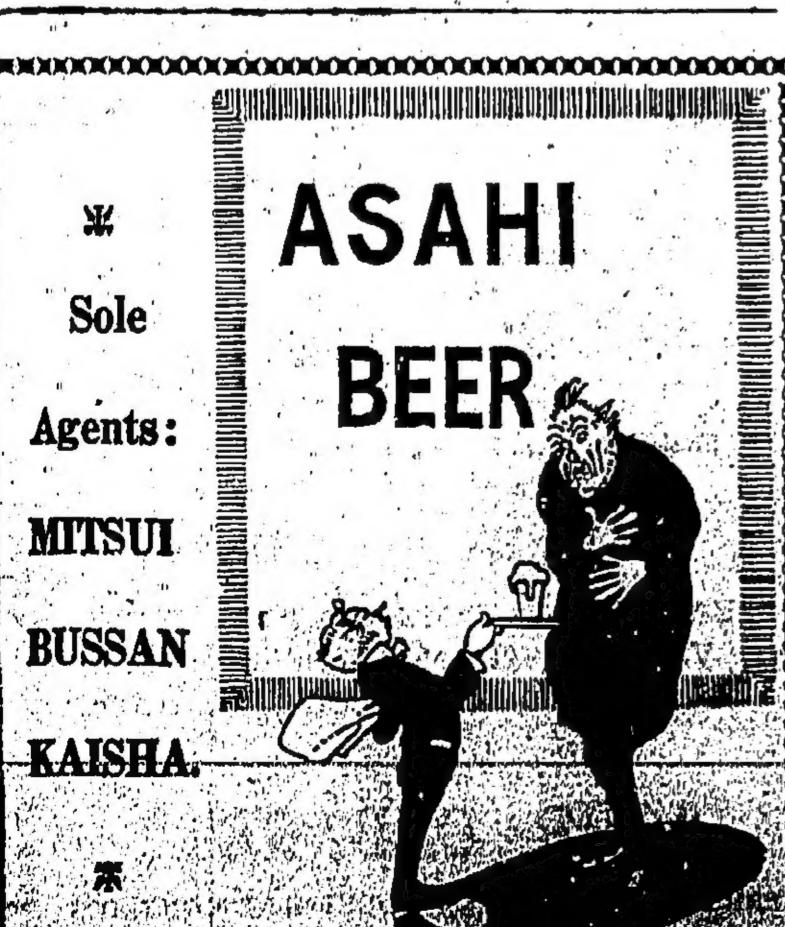
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At a meeting of the committee of the Rugby Football Union in London, a statement of the financial result of the All Blacks' tour was submitted, showing that the clubs and countries will divide profits amounting to £12,000, the. proportions being based upon the amount each club or country paid into the revenue.

With reference to the invitationto the International Board to send a British touring side to New Zealand in 1926-27, it was decided that, as far as the Rugby Union was concerned, they could not hold out any hopes of the English clubs participating at so early a date, though in some subsequent year an earnest effort night be made.

The annual meeting of the Rugby Union was fixed for Friday, with the spirit of Merrie England June 26. F. C. Potter-Irwin and J. G.

Birkett were elected representatives of the Eastern Counties and Sussex on the committee. H. E. Ferens is the committee's

nomination for the presidency for 1025-26, with J. Baxter as senior vice-president, and Admiral Percy Royds junior vice-president.

"'It is the business of a live man," said Mr. Eric Liddell, the famous athlete and Olympic Games victor, concerning his mission in London to the Sunday Times, "todevote his strength of body, mind, and spirit to the service of Christ among his fellow-men.'

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side or country and not for yourto religion. In sport you can game ceased to be played there. play for God and play His game. We hope to reach the hearts of cricket has been set rocking once Tientsin, in China, to join my Hambledon men has been formed

the young men in China, between Bat and Ball their clubhouse. the ages, say, of 13 and 18.

games of "Soccer" out there. I "Broadhalfpenny" and the Bat fear the ground is too hard for and Ball are worth while going to Rugby.'.

to eleven men nor matches to a three days' duration. At it zenith the Hambledon Club frequentlyas its records show-opposed team of some 20 opponents and the game went on day after day. until finished.

THE FIRST "CENTURY." The first recorded century cricket was made in a match Broadhalfpenny" in 1777 James Aylward, who stayed for three days and compiled total of 167, It was in this match that three stumps instead of two. were first used.

A memorial obelisk now forms the passer-by that "Broadhalfpenny " was the cradle cricket." Much might be written of the historic first steps which the game took there in its inlancy. One has space here only to glance at the essential differences betwixt then and now.

Those who spousored cricket on this lonely hillside were imbued and followed its traditions. Moreover, the Hambledon players were all musicians as well as cricketers One of them is credited with hav. soft, ing charmed into docility an angry bull that chased him by merely playing his fiddle in front of the animal! All of them, too, and their supporters, were skilled in singing

glees, rounds and ballads. and Ball has a prominent place. is a quaint little wayside tavern on the other side of the road from the playing field with not another house of any sort within three miles of it. Richard Nyren, who ran the Hamoledon Club in its early days, was host of the But and Ball. Probably that accounts for "sign" of the tavern and for isolated "Broadnalfpenny" being

chosen as the first cricket pitch. The down itself is a geatly undulating hill "three miles from anywhere" from which one can look across a glorious landscape and see in the far distance the mammoth liners going to and from

DECLINE AND REVIVAL vs. Hampshire matches arranged to Now, however, the cradle of In July I am going out to lagers, descendants of the old the first All-England one.

father, who is an evangelist there, to play on the Broadhalfpenny and to continue my work as a "pitch." What is more, they are teacher in a mission school among following tradition by making the

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You can't tell him of a better cigarette

Teams were not always limited BASEBALL AND CRICKET COMMON CRADLE OF TWO

GAMES IN ENGLAND.

About 20 miles eastward after one leaves the boat at Southampton there lies a patch of greensward that holds great memories | for the lover of baseball and cricket, says a writer in

"Christian Science Monitor". This patch"-and in size it is nothing more-goes by the name of Broadhalfnenny Down. Situated among what Kipling calls the "bluff, bowheaded, whalebacked downs" that roll across Sussex and Hampshire, Broadhalfpenny is famous for the fact that on its slopes both baseball and cricket were cradled. ...

America's national pastime had as its origin the old English game of "rounders." From an unknownperiod this enjoyed popularity among the English people as their merrymakings. "Rounders" may be most accurately described by saying that it is baseball of a loose

English children still play it. In days by-gone it was a game for grown-ups and in that form used to flourish on Broadhalfpenny Down: Why the down was chosen as a playing field is something of a In the annals of cricket the Bat problem, for it has an isolated position right in the heart of one of the most secluded parts of Hampshire.

ASSOCIATIONS WITH CRICKET.

"Broadhalfpenny's" associations with baseball in embryo are less. widely known than are its associations with cricket. Of the latter, it was a famous nursery in the eightcenth century. In fact, modern. cricket was made there by the colobrated Hambledon Club, whose team, composed of farmers, village. traders and other sons of the soil living in the neighbourhood, was the best eleven of their day-and the greatest enthusiasts.

It was they who licked cricket into shape by establishing uniformity in its processes. There had been After Lord's came to the front, none previously. Cricket was a Broadhalfpenny as a centre of very old game which everyone "And here I feel that true cricket fell out of the picture. played according to his own sportsmanship-playing for your Except for spasmodic All-England notions. Bats were spoonshaped and wickets consisted of two upself-will naturally lean a man keep the old tradition alive, the rights with a crosspiece resting on them. Proper bats and wickets came first into use on "Broadhalfpenny." There, too, many historic many young London sportsmen. | more. A club composed of vil- matches were played, including

Cricket matches on the down were picturesque events. players generally wore a sort of uniform. That of Hambledon was composed of tall hat, sky-blue coat Anyone motoring from South with black velvet collar, silk hose, "'Yes,' said Mr. Liddell ampton to London can pass the knee breeches and silver-buckled smiling, I hope to get a good-few home of cricket by an easy detour. shoes. Flannels, pads and what are now deemed indispensable appurtenances of cricket were-un-

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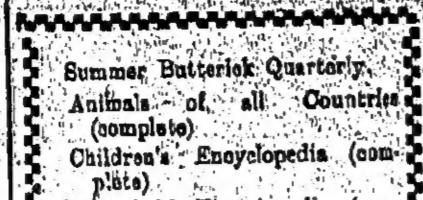
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The number of passengers using the railway for travelling into China or from China into British territory is down very considerably in comparison with past years but the number of local passengers is up.

168,734 passengers travelled from British territory to Chinese territory during the year and 157,115 from Chinese to British territory and whilst receipts in respect of this service are very much down they are up considerably insofar as the local service is concerned. Local passengers on the 3rd. the main line amounted to 1,177,-234 and on the Fanling Branch days. line to 82,505, this being an increase in all for local passengers of about 50,000 with increased receipts accordingly of \$77,729.03.

The claim which the British section makes against the Chinese section on account of suspension of through and joint sectional traffic also hire of rolling stock. demurrage and rebates amounts to \$473,397.10 for the period between January 1, 1923 and the end of 1924. A number of goods wagons held by the Chinese section had been returned and 15

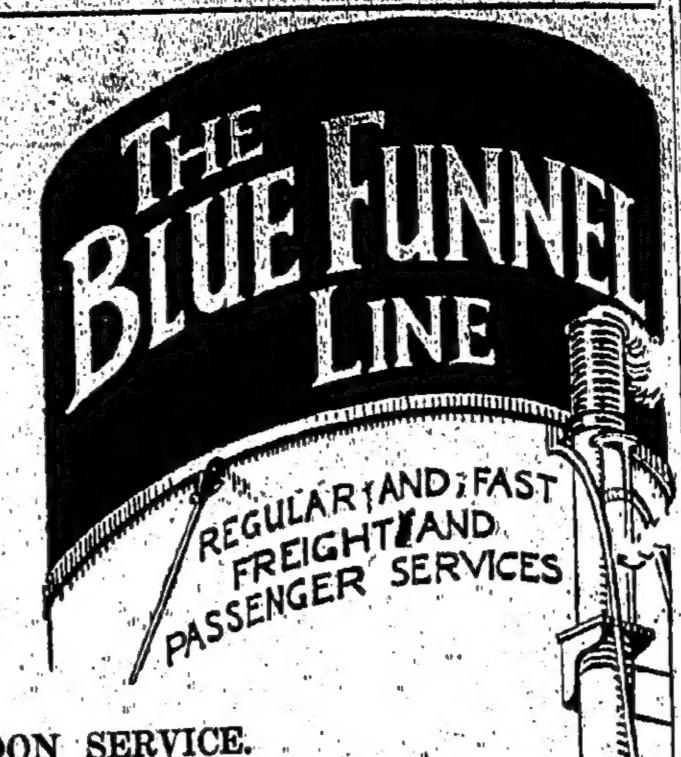
only were now held by them. There was a saving on the estimated expenditure for the year of \$67,343.58, this being due to less mileage being accomplished than was anticipated, also savings under locomotive, car-Experiments in the use of liquid fuel had been continued but owing to short distance of runs and the temperament of the Chinese drivers and firemen satisfactory results had not been ob-

In view of frequent damage by typhoons to the Government and Railway telephone overhead wires alongside the Railway, it was decided to substitute an underground cable for the aerial wires, and commencement was made during the year between Taipo

and Taipo Market Stations. On several occasions motorists ran into and damaged the gates at certain level crossings. In order to obviate closing the gates sooner than necessary, two mercury contacts were indented for and installed on trial. These contacts are situated some half mile or so away from crossings on curves, and actuate electric bells in the gatekeepers' lodges on the passage of approaching trains.

Less attention was given to maintenance work on the Fanling Branch Line in anticipation of its being taken up by the end of the year, as mentioned in last year's Report, but progress with the new. road has been delayed and more attention to the railway track may Amoy be necessary in 1925.

In connection with the Harbour Improvements, it became necessary to alter the position of the submarine cables crossing to Kowloon, and four cable houses were built in the Kowloon Station. south verandah to receive the terminals of the cables belonging to the Eastern Extension Telegraph Company, the China and Japan Telephone and Electric Company. the Military Authorities, and the Government. Permission was granted the Eastern Extension Telegraph Company to Connect their cable with serial lines over Railway lands onto that existing. poles to Canton which follow the Railway from Mile 114



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